





# NEWS OF LEGISLATURE

## Hearing on Bill to Regulate the Station Agents' Hours—Fire Drills—Other Matters

BOSTON, Feb. 27.—Speaking yesterday in opposition to various amendments proposed to the workmen's compensation act before the committee on judiciary Dr. Wm. H. Hotchkiss, ex-superintendent of insurance in New York, said Massachusetts is behind the times in the amount of compensation. He completely disapproved any lowering of the waiting period, however.

Joseph A. Solowick, treasurer of the Fere River Shipbuilding Corporation, said he believed in compensation, but was opposed to employees choosing their own doctors. Charles E. Hodges opposed the general principle of the amendments and particularly to employees choosing their own physicians.

### Station Agents' Hours

The bill to regulate station agents' hours of labor was given a hearing by the committee on railroads. Representative Washburn and Counsel Coolidge of the Boston & Maine wrangled about the financial troubles of the road, prompting Counsel Barnes of the New Haven to remark that "the bill before the house seemed to be the thing least talked about."

P. J. Coyle of the Station Agents' union, Stanley Perry, a crossing tender, Representative Stuart L. Little of Newbury, a station agent for 26 years, Patrick Toberty, a baggage master, John D. Dunn of Gardner, a baggage master; Representative Albert Holway of Bourne, Frank Hughes of Medford, for years in the employ of the Boston & Maine and now a crossing man, all spoke in favor of the bill.

There was no report from the committee on constitutional amendments on a constitutional convention though it was stated Wednesday night that the committee had reported leave to withdraw.

It is known that the published story that two democrats on the committee—Twining of Boston and Souther of Cohasset—had signed the report brought down the wrath of many democrats upon their heads. There was talk of their having broken party pledges and there promised to be some embarrassing moments for them if the report was made as forecasted. It may also be found that Messrs. Souther and Twining have dissented.

### Fire Drills

The house yesterday voted to reconsider its vote on Wednesday referring to the next general court the report of the committee on labor on the bill compelling fire drills in mercantile establishments. Mr. Drury explained that a better bill for fire precautions was pending before the committee on labor and that the bill in question was opposed by both employers and employees.

Dolben of Somerville, who moved reconsideration, urged that the bill was a reasonable and necessary one. Mr. Beck declared that the bill would prevent fire horrors like that of the Armory. Mr. Cox urged that the board of labor and industry is fully able to handle the situation.

Lawler of Lawrence said his district contained some of the largest factories in the world; that he had worked in the mills all his life and that he believed the bill would tend to destroy life rather than protect it.

On a standing vote reconsideration was refused, 67 to 52, but prevailed on the yeas and nays, 136 to 74.

### Municipal Employees

The bill to authorize Saturday half-holidays to municipal employees was passed to be engrossed without debate.

### Woman Suffrage

A resolve for a constitutional amendment to permit woman suffrage was filed yesterday in the senate by Senator Clarence W. Hobbs, Jr., senate chairman of the committee on constitutional amendments. Representatives Frederick W. Turlbut of Worcester and Clifford B. Barnard of Norwood dissent. While the senate is in session, the senate rejected the house addition to the joint rules that legislators shall not appear as counsel before legislative committees, or act as counsel for a

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## ON RIVER DEVELOPMENT

The harbor and lands commission will give a hearing at the state house on Tuesday, March 3, at 10 a. m., to all persons interested in the general subject of improvement, development, maintenance and protection of rivers, harbors and tidewaters with the view of undertaking such work as the board may deem to be reasonable and proper. The hearing will be held in room 151.

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## CATCHER WILSON JUMPS FROM GIANTS TO FEDS AFTER RUB WITH MCGRAW



WILSON

Catcher Wilson of the New York Giants is reported to have jumped to the Federal league. According to Chief Meyers, who recently reported to the spring training grounds at Marlin, Tex., Wilson accepted an offer to play with the "outlaws" because he was not

satisfied with the way McGraw was using him. Wilson is considered a pretty good backstop, but he had little chance to perform when Meyers and McLean were in shape. The coming of Larry McLean to the Giants put a crimp in Wilson's ambition.

### DIAMOND NOTES

Having been an umpire and manager of a team in Cincinnati, Hank O'Day is so hardened that he will be able to stand for Murphy almost a year.

Eddie Plank, the hero of the last world's series, has returned his con-

tract assigned to Connie Mack, manager of the champion Athletics.

The veteran pitcher was offered the same salary he received last year, but he wants an increase Mack says he will not grant.

Plank is the only member of the champions who is holding out for more

money.

Bob Bescher, the outfielder acquired from Cincinnati by the New York National league club in this winter's trade that sent Charley Herzog to the Ohio city to manage the Reds, sent in his signed contract for three years to the New York club.

Les Dowd, another New England league favorite, will play the infield for the Topeka club of the Western league. He had a tryout with the Highlanders, but his hitting was not on a par with his fielding.

Johnny Lavan, of the Philadelphia Americans, has been purchased by the St. Louis Americans, with whom he played a part of last season.

Bernard R. Donahue has attached the lease which the Haverhill Baseball and Athletic association holds to Athletic park, the action being one of contract for \$3000 from the office of Richard J. McCormick. Bernard H. Donahue is a brother of Dr. Hugh Donahue, president of the association, and the indorser of his note in payment of \$145, which was his share of the \$4000 note with interest which the First National bank held against the 1910 board of directors of the association.

Dr. Donahue has had considerable correspondence with the Horace Partridge Co., dealers in athletic goods, Boston, regarding a bill of \$213 for uniforms which were used by last year's team. Dr. Donahue referred the Partridge people to Daniel T. Cheney, only to receive a letter from the attorneys of the sporting goods house informing him that they would draw upon him at the Merrimack National bank. This they could not do, the Athletic association being an incorporated body, so Dr. Donahue was informed that they intended attaching the lease to the park.

Dr. Donahue considered this a round about way adopted by certain parties to gain possession of Athletic park for games next season. In order to stall any such attempt his brother instructed his attorney to draw an attachment against the lease in the sum of \$3000, which he did, filing it at the registry of deeds office in Salem-Exchange.

Manager Flaherty has announced the roster of the Lynn club for the coming season. Partridge, it will be seen, assumes that he can still steam them over. The candidates for the Lynn team follow:

Pitchers—Manager Flaherty, Cunningham, Harrington, Tweed, Deidrick, Seaton, McKee and Frank Smith.

Catchers—Solomons, Shields and Wendell.

First base—Schulze, Shagkey and Woodbury.

Second base—Moulton and Gillespie.

Third base—Kortagen and Lynch.

Shortstop—Williams, Cassavant, Neptige, McPherson and Steck.

Outfielders—Orcutt, Strada, Robinson, Jacobson and Flaherty.

With the published announcement that the Federal league was going to raid the minors, now that it has concluded its campaign against the American and National leagues comes the information that Joe Tinker, manager of the Chicago Federals, has made Frank Harrington, the property of the Lynn baseball club, an enticing offer to pitch for his team in the Windy City.

President Eugene B. Praser of the Lynn club sent Harrington a contract for the 1914 season a short while ago, but, up to date, has not heard a word from the fair haired twirler, and he is commencing to believe that there is some truth in the rumor, as Harrington would have been in a hurry to return his contract signed or have written after more money.

Manager Flaherty sold Harrington to the Cincinnati Reds when Tinker was sweet on the pitcher, and has maintained that all that he needed was a little seasoning to make him a first class material. When Gary Hogearty ordered that he be sent back to Lynn, Tinker objected, and that and numerous other minor troubles led to the finish of Tinker as manager of the Reds.

Having a particularly warm spot in his heart for Harrington, there may be truth in the rumor that Joe wants him with the Chicago Reds. Harrington has been climbing the ladder of fame in the baseball world ever since he made his debut in the box for the Wakefield high school team. He also pitched one season for Holy Cross, and three years for Boston college. Leaving Boston college he played in the New Brunswick league and, while there was signed by the Chicago Nationals, but was never called to join the team.

While with Lynn last year he proved a hard working pitcher and a good batsman. He had all the earmarks of a corner, and Manager Flaherty was sanguine of his ultimate success. It has been impossible to get either a denial or affirmation of the story from Harrington as yet.

Irving Porter, the fleet-footed outfielder of last year's Lynn New England league team, who will report to the Cincinnati National league team some time during the latter part of this month, has received a letter from Manager Patsy Flaherty.

Of course, the letter contained its share of advice handed out by Patsy for the Lynn boy to heed when he arrives in Dixie with the major leaguers, but it also contains another item of more interest to Porter than the advice.

Flaherty visited Charlie "Buck" Herzog at Trappe, Md., before going to the Georgia Military school to take charge of the baseball candidates. Flaherty is confident that Porter is of major league calibre and so told the former New York outfielder. Flaherty told Herzog of Irving's speed, which seemed to make a big hit with the Redland manager. It is Herzog's intention to start Porter to work with one protector and big man. He will probably refrain from sending the Lynn youngster to the outfield.

Porter would much rather work behind the bat and the only reason he played the outfield last season was because of the fact that Flaherty feared the youngster would become injured, which would handicap his speed. Flaherty always claimed that the Lynn boy's speed was too valuable to take chances behind the bat.

Flaherty informed Porter of his visit to Herzog's home and told the Lynn youngster that it was "now up to him" Porter has not received notice as to just when he will report to the Red-

land team, but is anxiously expecting something from the Cincinnati club daily.

Flaherty related in the letter of the excellent hospitality afforded him by Herzog. Herzog is the owner of a canteloupe farm at Trappe, Md. Flaherty was treated to all of the good things on tap there and left Herzog's home in high spirits.

Flaherty also called upon Frank Baker, the demon home run hitter, while he was at Trappe. Baker and Herzog are great friends, both living in the same town. It was Herzog who brought Baker out, as is well known.

Flaherty is of the opinion that Herzog is going to make a success of the job at Cincinnati where many others have failed.

Although Flaherty did not say so in his letter to Porter, he hinted that Herzog had promised to help him out next season with any superfluous players that he might have on hand after the wedding out after the southern training trip.



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Cambridge, Feb. 26.—(Special.)—Mrs. Carling, who was over 60 years of age, was rescued yesterday afternoon from a burning house by Officer G. W. Vaughan, who was on duty at the time. The fire broke out in the second story of the building, which was a tenement house, and the fire spread rapidly. Mrs. Carling was found in a room on the second floor, and was carried down by the officer. She was taken to the hospital, where she is recovering from her injuries. The fire was caused by a gas stove, and the building was a tenement house. The officer was praised for his bravery and quick action.

## WAS LAWFULLY REMOVED

SHERIFF MONTGOMERY LOSTS ON APPEAL — NON-ENFORCEMENT OF LIQUOR LAW CHARGED

BANGOR, Me., Feb. 27.—A writ of habeas corpus was granted today by the Maine supreme court, ordering the removal of Sheriff Montgomery from his office. The court found that the sheriff had been removed from office without proper legal authority. The case was brought by a group of citizens who claimed that the sheriff's removal was illegal. The court's decision is a victory for the citizens and a setback for the state government.

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## IRISH NAT. FORESTERS

O'NEIL CROWLEY BRANCH TO RECEIVE FLAG WON IN RECENT CONTEST

Sunday next will be a red letter day in the annals of the Irish National Foresters, for on that date the high chief ranger of the order will travel with his suite to Lowell to present the banner won by Branch O'Neill Crowley in the recent flag contest. Delegates are expected from Boston, Providence, Worcester, Philadelphia, Haverhill, Lawrence, Wakefield and other local centers. The regular session of the branch will be held in their old quarters, Leather Workers' hall, at 10

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

Everyone likes a picture that tells a thrilling story and has the necessary punch to it. Such a feature is the new Opera House production, "The Girl in the Red Dress." It is a story of a girl who is loved by two men, and the story is told in a most interesting and dramatic way.

## BRADY SUCCESS COMING

One of the important theatrical attractions in the season will be William A. Brady's production of "The Girl in the Red Dress." The play is a story of a girl who is loved by two men, and the story is told in a most interesting and dramatic way.

## THE OWL THEATRE

"The Owl Theatre" which tells the story of the love of an adventurer, is the feature at the Owl. It is a highly dramatic story, with good acting and fine scenery. The play is a story of a man who is loved by two women, and the story is told in a most interesting and dramatic way.

## THE KASINOS

Have and Operate in Massachusetts roller skaters are fortunate in having their rink managers become careless, and the public suffers in consequence. For nearly two years the skating rink in this city has been in a state of neglect, and the result is a disappointment to the skaters.

## IMPORTS AND EXPORTS

OF THE U. S. DURING JANUARY AND THE SEVEN MONTHS ENDING WITH JANUARY, 1914

Imports into and exports from the United States in January, 1914, and the seven months ending with January, 1914, were slightly less than those for corresponding periods of the fiscal year 1913, but higher than those for any earlier year. Details just completed by the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Commerce, are as follows: January imports, \$154,463,293, against \$163,063,438 in January, 1913, and \$142,585,408 in January, 1912; January exports, \$203,299,577, against \$227,032,930 in January, 1913, and \$202,448,274 in January, 1912.

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## KIRK STREET CHURCH

GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP OR SOCIALISM AS PANACEA

The future seems to offer either government ownership or socialism as the solution of our economic problems, said Hon. Homer B. Hulbert last night at the February dinner of the Brotherhood of the Kirk Street church. Mr. Hulbert comes from Springfield and is a former envoy to the Korean government.

He went further and stated that he believed the same process must follow in religion and economics. "The church," he said, "is 300 years behind our political system. Our denominations are still fighting one another, and not yet recognizing either a central authority or an equally representative government, though it is coming. In economics the trusts are the feudal system again, taking control of commodities, and forcing men to join them or go out of business. They, too, will precipitate a new system, which is not very far from us."

## STILL A MYSTERY

No Further Light on Cause of Death of Worcester Man

PARIS, Feb. 27.—No further light was cast today on the cause of the death yesterday of the man supposed to be Henry Collet, of Worcester, Mass., whose body was found in a small hotel in a low quarter of Paris.

## MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Every mother, father, sister and brother ought to see "White Slave Auctioneers," which is being shown at Merrimack Square theatre. It is one of the best and likeliest sensational which has ever been shown in Lowell, and even aside from these things it is a picture that will take its place in the hearts of all who witness it. The film was evidently taken in Paris. Its scenes and situations are so real that one might expect to find in the film one of the great cities, while the rest of the film is a story of a man who is loved by two women, and the story is told in a most interesting and dramatic way.

## SILVER SPRING, FLORIDA

The great development of underground drainage in many parts of Florida has given rise to many springs at places where no springs were known to exist. The number of such springs is very great. In size they vary from mere seeps to discharges which rise to creeks and rivers large enough to float good sized passenger and freight steamers. The best known and largest is the Silver Spring, in Marion county, which gives rise to a large stream of remarkable clearness and beauty. The water emerges from a basin over 33 feet deep, and the spring is so clear that objects lying on the bottom are distinctly visible.

## CAID OF THANKS

To the many friends and neighbors who so kindly and willingly assisted to lighten our sorrow and bereavement in the loss of our darling son, we hereby extend our sincere thanks and deepest appreciation.

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## Opening of My New Home

31-33-35 MERRIMACK SQUARE

When the door of my new home is thrown open tomorrow morning, Saturday, at eight, it will inaugurate a double significance, being not alone the passing of the fifth milestone in Lowell, and the closing of the old store at 24 Central street, but also THE OPENING OF MY NEW HOME, 31 to 35 Merrimack, opposite Central St., Merrimack Sq. Notable because in these 5 years my sales have almost doubled by many thousands of dollars. I confidently believe that this record for sales has not been equalled in this period by any other tailoring establishment in this country. It is in itself sufficient testimony to the leadership of this store in its chosen line.

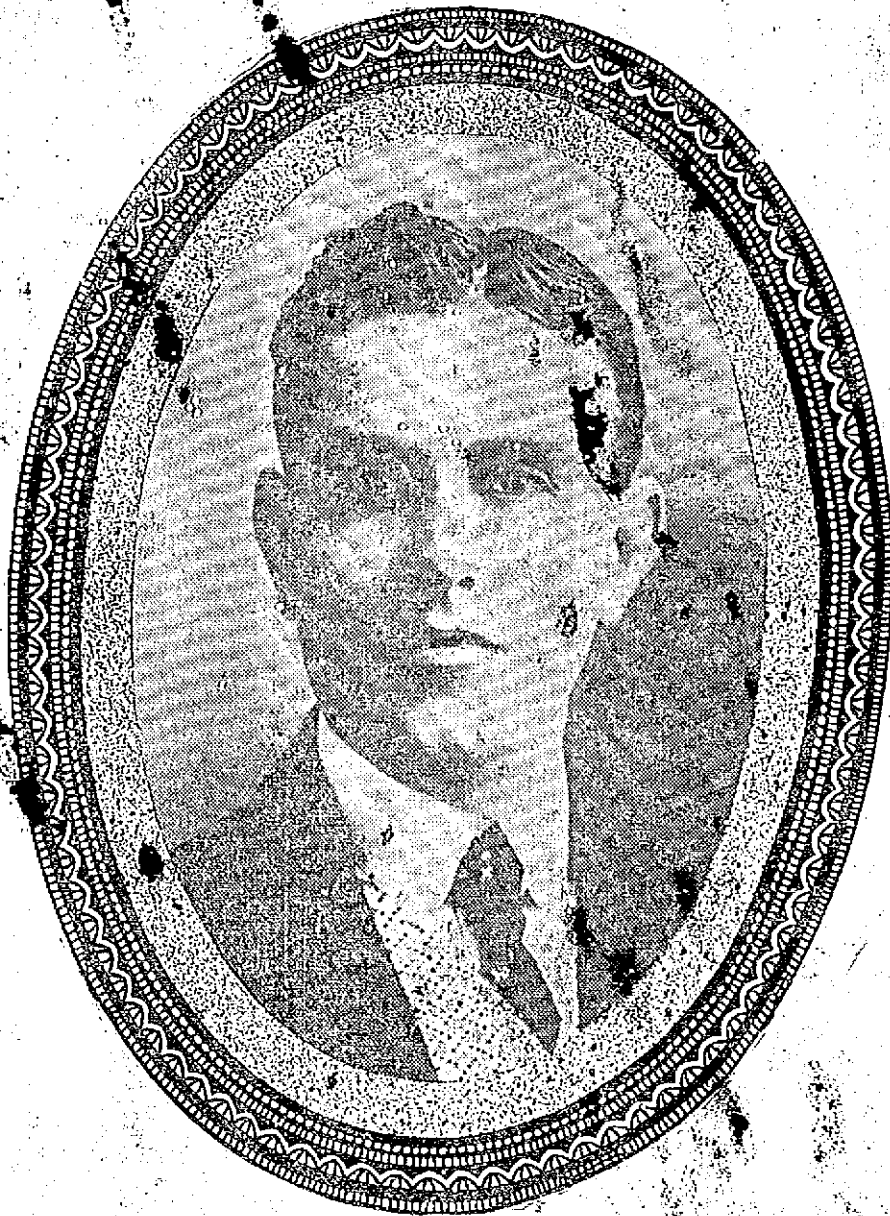
MANY THANKS TO YOU, MR. PUBLIC. You have shown confidence in me and I want to prove that I appreciate it. I want to give each and every one of you individual attention. I want you to feel when you enter my door that this is your home as well as mine, that the low prices I advertise are caused by the volume of business you give to me year after year; that you cannot buy cotton or goods mixed with cotton in my store at any price; that the cloth I give you is the best ready money can buy, and the best our American mills know how to make.

GENTLEMEN—I am a happy man. If I don't sell a suit on the strength of this ad. for this double occasion, I still would be happy. The fact that I have reached the stage where I can say to any business man in Lowell: My location is the best in this city and he can't dispute it. Is My Five Years' Ambition Realized?

### FREE TO THE LADIES

I wish to meet the ladies of Lowell, and as an inducement to you all, to the lady who calls with her brother, father, husband or friend, to buy a suit, or the lady who buys a suit pattern of mannish cloth which will be sold at special prices for my opening day, I will give free as a souvenir a pair of

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For the opening day \$2.50 Blue Serge \$1.50 per yard. Scotch Tweeds, pencil stripes, and fancy Worsteds, commission house prices \$2.37½ per yard, will be \$1.45 for the opening day.

### TAILORS ATTENTION

349 Wanskuk Blue Serge—You know what you pay wholesale for this number. You know what you have to pay today. My price 349 Blue \$1.27½ per yard in cuts to tailors. Send the boy with the money if you can't come yourself. No questions asked.

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# LEAGUE MEETS TUESDAY

Pres. Murnane to Take in Banquet at Fitchburg—Dope on Lewiston and Fred Lake's Outfit.

The New England league will hold its regular meeting next Tuesday afternoon in Boston when the report of the schedule will be heard and acted upon. Although the schedule has not been made public, or rather the list of games and dates which have been drawn up by the committee, it is thought that the season will open later this year. Last spring the first few

game will doubtless be the result. Last year's duplicate of the meeting which will be held next Tuesday did not amount to very much if you remember. At that time Haverhill was still in the circuit and the schedule which was at first drawn up had to be changed over when the shift came to Fall River. It is quite probable that the schedule committee's report will not be accepted as a garment but the majority of the recommendations made by this group will undoubtedly go through.

Lake and Murnane  
Frederick the Great, of Fitchburg baseball prominence at present, will take the grand old president of our "Little Old League" down to his adopted baseball home next Wednesday where the pair will be entertained by the board of trade of Fitchburg. Here's a tip to the fans of Lowell—if you want to catch a glimpse of Tim Murnane use your influence with the board of trade and tender him a banquet. That would bring him, we think, but it would take some such inducement to coöperate him to the baseball park of the team which has twice won the pennant since 1911.

Lewiston Managers Busy  
Mike McDonough and Joe Burns are two busy individuals these days and

so also is Secretary Tim Leonard. Hugh Duffy is not the only one who is looking over the ball tossers of the Maine colleges for the Lewiston magnates are looking up whatever material looks good to them among the collegians. The Lewiston fans are greatly disappointed at the inability of the club to procure Fred Parent as manager. Freddie is a great favorite with the Maine fans as he has been from that state and played there before jumping into the big show.

A Lewiston scribe writes that the owners of that franchise made Parent an offer which exceeded the contract he now holds from the Baltimore club. It hardly sounds logical, neighbor. The reason ascribed to Parent's non-appearance as manager was that Manager Dunn of the Orioles wanted to see the Lewiston fans' baseball like having a faithful press agent for your ball club!

Outlook at Fitchburg and Lewiston  
If Hugh Duffy and his actions at Portland last season are criterions, and we think they are, of the manner in which the clubs at Fitchburg and Lewiston will open this year then you can go to sleep. That neither of these clubs will be in the running. Both cities are new in the baseball fold, that is, neither burg has been represented by a club for a long time.

The old saying that it helps a city, we are speaking now in a baseball sense, to shift its franchise every few years, is generally accepted as true by men expert in the handling of baseball clubs. Duffy, gambling on the fact that the Portland fans were baseball crazy and would troop out to his park to watch any kind of a club perform, placed a mediocre bunch on his diamond.

We have all got to hand it to Duffy, however, for with his not even average New England league club he made matters hot during the latter part of the season. Of course Hugh would have liked to have won the flag, make no mistake about that, but he was determined not to spend money to accomplish this feat.

The idea was simply that the Portland public wanted to see baseball games and would pay to see them regardless of the fact that the management would not spend money to provide the greatest paying city in the league with a team worthy of its patronage. It is said that the bad season for the Portland fans were baseball crazy and would troop out to his park to watch any kind of a club perform, placed a mediocre bunch on his diamond.

Lewiston and Fitchburg  
Now whether the Lewiston and Fitchburg owners will also attempt these tactics, of course, we cannot tell at this point but we sincerely hope it will not be the case. Lake was never known to spend any MORE than he had to for players but the New England league has gone under a vast change since his days within its fold and he cannot go along now and make any showing in the way that was once his wont. We cannot conceive, however, of Lake's putting anything very formidable in the way of a pennant contender upon the Fitchburg diamond but hope to be disappointed in this prediction.

As for the Lewiston club, that also is more or less of an unknown proposition. If Lewiston places a team in the field that will not stand the god against the other clubs it will hurt the league standings immeasurably. And besides they may not find a Hugh Duffy or a Fred Lake to handle their club, and in a case of this kind they would be left behind if the personnel of the Lewiston team were just as good as that of either Portland or Fitchburg.

Duffy and Lake, with their major league experience, can do wonders with a club of rookies where another club would hardly win a game. Here's hopes that Fitchburg and Lewiston will both present teams this coming season that will give the leader a scare at every brush.

**BOTH TEAMS WON**  
Y. M. C. A. Aggregations Were Winners at Basketball Last Night

The Pirates of the Y. M. C. A. won their basketball contest from the regular Lawrence association five last night at the local gym and the Employed Boys' quintet took the Methuen basket shooters into camp in the second contest of the evening. Neither game was close enough to annoy the local athletes. Davis and Wilson for the Pirates, and Greenwood for the Employed Boys featured the summaries:

**PIRATES**  
Davis 17, Hubert 11, Newcomb 10, Curly 10, Sweeney, Keroach 10.  
**LAWRENCE**  
10 Watson 10, Ducharme 10, Moorehouse 10, Wilson 10.  
**LOWELL**  
Greenwood 11, Smith 10, McMorris 10, Williams 10, Angus 10, Edwards 10, Mitchell 10.  
**Score:** Lowell 44, Lawrence 27. Goals from the floor: Davis 3, Wilson 1, Newcomb 5, Hubert 5, Moorehouse 2, Ducharme, Volinck and Curly. Goals on fouls: Watson 4, Newcomb 4, Wilson 4.

**NETLEEN**  
10 Albright 10, Smith 10, McMorris 10, Williams 10, Angus 10, Edwards 10, Mitchell 10.  
**Score:** Lowell 43, Methuen 19. Goals from the floor: Greenwood 12, McMorris 4, Angus 4, Gauthier 3, Mitchell, Edwards, Doole, Taylor. Goals on fouls: Gauthier 2, Doole, Greenwood 1, Hubert, Mike. Scorer: Lamoine. Referee: Boy.

**ZBYSZKO IS THE WINNER**  
WINS WRESTLING TITLE BY THROWING ABERG TWICE IN TWO HOURS

BOSTON, Feb. 27.—A wrestling title changed hands last night at Mechanics building when Stanislaus Zbyszko, the Pole, defeated Alexander Aberg, Finnish champion, two falls in a contest that lasted nearly two hours. The defeat was a bitter pill for the Finn, for he had held the title as Greco-Roman king for 10 years. Fortunate at his downfall, no sooner had he regained his feet after being put to the mat for the second and winning fall than he rushed on Zbyszko in blind rage and he hurled the Pole into the ropes.

The men battled desperately for a few moments while the crowd, with nerves stretched to the breaking point by the encounter, had already witnessed, blood, blood and howled. A pair of police in the ring finally ended the fray and Aberg was induced to leave the mat, his rage, however, but slightly abated.

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If suffering from watery eyes, husky voice, discharge from the nose, or that choked-up feeling, try Hyomel now. Today. All druggists sell it. Ask for the complete outfit—\$1.00 size.

## MILITARY TEAMS

Standing of Teams in Armory Tournament—Co. G Leads

The standing of the four company teams in the Armory tournament has been computed to date and stands as follows:

GENERAL STANDING			
	Won	Lost	P.C.
Company G	75	17	82.3
Company K	55	31	67.7
Company M	34	62	35.4
Company C	14	52	14.6
BOWLING			
	Won	Lost	P.C.
Company G	23	9	71.3
Company K	21	11	65.6
Company M	14	18	43.8
Company C	6	25	18.5
BASKETBALL			
	Won	Lost	P.C.
Company G	32	0	100.0
Company K	20	12	62.5
Company M	8	24	25.0
Company C	4	23	12.5
SHOOTING			
	Won	Lost	P.C.
Company G	24	5	75.6
Company K	24	8	75.0
Company M	12	29	37.5
Company C	4	28	12.5

## DE PALMA WINS

Takes Vanderbilt Cup Race for Second Time—Oldfield Second

SANTA MONICA, Cal., Feb. 27.—Ralph de Palma, who won the Vanderbilt cup race in Milwaukee in 1912, duplicated that performance by winning the Vanderbilt cup race of 1917 over the Santa Monica course yesterday with a Mercedes.

He beat Barney Oldfield in a Mercer by a narrow margin after a desperate speed battle over more than 100 miles, during which but a few seconds separated the two drivers.  
De Palma's time was 3:55.41 for the 244.85 miles, or an average of 75.6 miles an hour, nearly three miles less than the course record.  
Oldfield was second, Carlton, in a Mason, third, and Cooper, in a Stutz, fourth.

## CALVARY BAPTIST

Wins Game in Baraca League and Sets Up High Team Total

The Calvary Baptist five took another game in the Baraca league last night when they vanquished the Highland M. E. rollers by the score of 1439 to 1402. The match was one of the best played that the league has seen this season. Myrick's figures were the best.

In the Y. M. C. I. league the Fairmounts went down to defeat before the accurate rolling of the Red Sox by a margin of six plus. The bowling of Brennan for the winners was the feature of the contest.

The only match scheduled for last night in the Y. M. C. A. league was between the Wannalancis and the Ironquels and resulted in a win by the latter team without difficulty. Greenwood's total was the highest.

The Buntings and the Tremont and Suffolk bowlers put up one of the closest contests that the Manufacturers' league has witnessed, only three plus separating the rivals at the conclusion of the roll-off. Each team took one string, the last being a tie. The Tremont and Suffolk men scored out a victory on the second string. The scores:

**Baraca League**  
Highland M. E.—Harrison, 291; Marshall, 271; Abbott, 255; Holden, 269; Harriman, 276; total 1402.  
Calvary Baptist—Myrick, 322; Davis, 273; Kennedy, 265; Perrin, 277; Moody, 298; total 1482.

**Y. M. C. I. League**  
Red Sox—Leonard, 261; McCreary, 234; Roscoe, 267; Curtin, 269; Brennan, 275; total 1301.  
Fairmounts—Welch, 234; Gills, 264; Mulligan, 338; Harrington, 232; Stowell, 230; total 1298.

**Y. M. C. A. League**  
Ironquels—Grant, 265; Wrenn, 275; Greenwood, 278; Daw, 241; Kiltredge, 240; total 1301.  
Wannalancis—Stokes, 251; Kelley, 263; Duncan, 225; Jordan, 261; Buzzell, 332; total 1233.

**Manufacturers' League**  
T. & S.—C. Farrell, 257; J. Manning, 355; A. Jordan, 260; Whalen, 270; McDermott, 267; total 1313.  
U. S. Bunting—Smith, 251; Lynch, 244; Riley, 273; Buckley, 264; Lane, 278; total 1315.



## BUY A SUIT NOW

We are closing out our Winter Suits. It's the policy of this store to always have fresh merchandise to show our patrons each season.

We have taken our \$12.50 and \$15 Suits and broken lots of our \$18 and \$20 Suits and marked them \$9.87.

These Suits are all new this season, in blue, browns and grays, in either woads or cassimeres.

No old styles, no shop-worn merchandise, just getting ready for the new Spring goods.

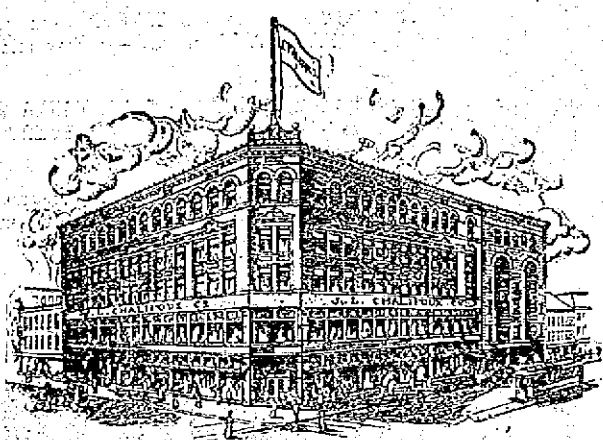
Other Suits ..... \$7.63 to \$18.37  
Overcoats ..... \$7.50, \$10, \$15  
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Now ..... \$1.75 \$3.75, \$5.75  
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And still our shelves are filled with merchandise. We have sold even more than we expected since the sale started, but there are lots left, and we will not carry any across to our new home on the corner.

## Shoe Department

Men's \$1.25 Low Overshoes, at ..... 59c  
First quality Candee rubbers, warm lined, fine Jersey cloth top, all sizes from 5 to 11.  
Boys' and Girls' \$1.25 and \$1.50 Shoes, at 98c  
School shoes in all sizes, medium and heavy weights, in button, blucher and lace style.  
Men's \$2.50 Rubber Boots, at ..... \$1.98  
Dull finish knee boots, wool lined.  
Men's \$3.50 Rubber Boots, at ..... \$2.75  
Hood or Woonsocket quality, heavy weight.  
Ladies' \$2.00 and \$2.50 Shoes, at ..... \$1.50  
Button and blucher style in patent calf, gun metal and Russian calf, low and high heel.  
Ladies' and Misses' 40c Rubbers, at ..... 29c  
Low cut and storm in all sizes.

## Furnishing Department

Men's \$1.00 Negligee Shirts, at ..... 50c  
Men's negligees, in fine percale and soiselle, handkerchief or soft French Cuffs, coat style, broken sizes and slightly soiled.  
Men's 90c Working Shirts, at ..... 39c  
Men's working shirts in black satin and drill, cheviot or madras, and blue chambray, collar attached, Congress make.  
Men's 50c Ties, at ..... 25c  
All our 50c four-in-hand ties, open or reversible, plain and fancy.  
All our \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00 Hats, in all leading makes and styles, at ..... \$2.15

## Men's Department

100 Men's Fancy Worsted and Cassimere Suits, in brown, gray and fine pencil stripes, sizes 34 to 40, also a few fancy blues that sold for \$12. Removal price ..... \$7.75  
75 Men's Hand Tailored \$15 Suits, a few sample suits mixed in, in all the newest patterns, 3 button suits, high cut vests, semi-peg pants. Removal price ..... \$9.75  
75 Boys' All Wool Norfolk Suits, in all wool chevrons, in gray and brown, also blue serges, sizes 8 to 10. Regular \$6 and \$7 value. Removal price ..... \$4.75  
Boys' Blue Serge Norfolk Suits in a good, heavy serge, only a few sizes left, 6 to 14 only. Regular \$5.00 suits. Removal price ..... \$2.75

## Ladies' Department

50 dozen Voile, Lawn and Batiste Waists. Value \$1.48, \$1.98, \$2.98. Removal price ..... 89c  
Clean Up of Veilings in all colors. Value 25c and 50c. Removal price ..... 12 1/2c  
One Lot of Children's Sweaters, red, gray and navy blue. Value 95c and \$1.48. Removal price ..... 69c

Ladies' and Misses' Coats, all sizes, in mixtures and plain colors. Value \$10 and \$12. Removal price ..... \$2.89

Serge Dresses, in all shades and sizes. Value \$6.00 and \$8.00. Removal price ..... \$3.49  
12 Sets of Furs, in different styles and colors. Value \$15 to \$30. Removal price ..... \$12.89

10c to 25c Collars. Removal sale ..... 2 1/2c  
Ladies' collars—Dutch, sailors, jabots and fancy stock collars, slightly soiled.

10c Combs. Removal sale ..... 2 1/2c  
Ladies' collars—Dutch, sailors, jabots and fancy stock collars, slightly soiled.

10c to 25c Handkerchiefs. Removal sale ..... 6 1/2c  
Ladies' plain and fancy handkerchiefs, slightly soiled.

10c to 25c Fancy Buttons. Removal sale ..... 6 1/2c  
Fancy buttons—Pearl, steel, brass, glass and oriental stones, all sizes, must go at once.

39c Drawers. Removal sale ..... 21c  
Ladies' white cotton drawers, hamburger ruffle, all sizes.

39c Skirts. Removal sale ..... 21c  
Ladies' short skirts, white cotton, hamburger ruffle.

49c Gowns. Removal sale ..... 24c  
Children's flannel night gowns, all sizes.

15c Drawers. Removal sale ..... 4 for 25c  
Children's cotton drawers, soiled on counter, all sizes.

\$3.00 and \$1.00 Kimonos. Removal sale ..... \$1.59  
Ladies' silk kimonos, made of Jap silk, fancy style, white, pink, blue, oriental designs.

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## USE THE LIBRARY

One who does not live in a great manufacturing city is apt to regard the fancied conditions of the textile workers of Lowell, Lawrence, and River, New Bedford or any of the so-called "mill cities" with a great deal of exaggeration and with but little real understanding. The imagination of such is filled with pictures of hundreds crowding out of wretched tenements in the cold dawn, rushing silently into an atmosphere of wheels and belts and intolerable noise, and again rushing into the streets in the darkness of evening to go back to the miserable home with its limited atmosphere of resigned poverty. Perhaps the external features of this picture of unlovely and unromantic existence are true enough, but in this frame is the picture of a generally happy and contented existence. The miseries of the mill operative are an excellent theme for emotional writers at times of industrial unrest, but the stories woven round this and kindred motifs have generally been as studiously labored as the product of the exploited toilers in the mills.

This may not be directly applicable in a discussion of the city library and its advantages but it will help to form an excellent contrast. One who walks up Merrimack street in the raw evenings of the present season, and turns into the spacious entrance of the city library will wonder why this splendid municipal institution is not availed of more fully by the working people of the city. Here in an atmosphere of art culture and refinement the most miserable of mortals may sit unmolested in the evening until 9 p. m. with such eminent companions as Shakespeare, Milton, Dante and hundreds of other world writers. It affords an opportunity for enjoyment and instruction that the children of kings cannot improve on, and yet it calls vainly to the great masses of our population.

There is another consideration that should commend the library to the patronage of the working classes, which, if it is less ideal than the foregoing, is more practical. Men of every occupation and every walk of life will find in the city library books that will enable them to rise in their chosen professions, and show them how they may lead more useful lives, advantageous to themselves and to the community. Every worker should also be a student, and in the municipal library are hundreds of books that will be of service to the mill operative, the machinist, the wood-worker, the salesman, the journalist and all others of any standard occupation or profession. These books are listed and tabulated in classified order, and one may easily acquire the knowledge of procuring the work of any author desired. The librarian and his assistants are attentive and obliging, and they will be glad to help the earnest seeker after knowledge and mental culture.

Reading and studying are habits that are easily acquired, and in the lives of most there are wasted periods that might be employed profitably in either. Young men will go night after night to street corners and club rooms wasting youth, health and money without adequate return. Girls will parade the streets or frequent moving picture shows in the same desire to flitter away time idly. The wisest do not neglect opportunities for amusement or intercourse with others but they set aside a time to read and to study, remembering that in books dwell the best thoughts of the ages and that he who reads consistently and with regularity explores a world of imagination and of knowledge that not all the prison walls of bells, pulleys and other prosaic things can shut out. An excellent Lenten resolution in this period of social quiet would be to acquire the habit of profiting by the store of riches awaiting the seeker after knowledge at the Lowell city library.

## STUDY OF HEREDITY

Professor Edwin Grant Conklin, head of the department of biology in Princeton university, is the latest man of distinction to urge the study of eugenics as a preventive of race suicide and race degeneration. With all due respect for his undoubted erudition, it is to be feared that he is sadly mixed in his judgment of cause and effect, for he urges sex knowledge as a means to race promotion, though the unlettered man of the streets knows, if he be intelligent, that few children are found among those who know most about sex, and largest families are found among those who lead natural lives and give little attention to sex discussion of a scientific nature. The newspaper reports of Professor Conklin's views credit him with saying: "At the present rate of reproduction, the more highly educated classes would be unknown within a period of 50 years. Eugenics is right in insisting that the higher classes pay more attention to reproduction. The lower classes are increasing in number and the outcome of it will be that the higher classes will be swallowed up by the lower." What the professor's idea of higher and lower classes is, it is not possible to

ascertain from the above, but the fact remains that education, though most desirable, is accidental and easily acquired, and that the sons and daughters of the most ignorant and poorest immigrants may reach the highest intellectual and social scale within half a century.

The higher classes that have agitated the study of eugenics, and made their lives a parable of selfishness with regard to race propagation, have sprung from people very like the lower classes, so-called, today, and if, instead of devoting themselves to the studies agitated by Professor Conklin, they studied the despised "lower classes" of the present, the effect on the future of the country would be more beneficial. The conditions emphasized by the erudite professor are very terrible and very real, but the cure he proposes for the evil must be included as one of the causes of it.

## DEVELOPMENT OF "MOVIES"

With astonishment it was noted a very few years ago that the then considered fad of the moving picture theatres, was encroaching on the field of the legitimate drama, but the astonishment has died down and the "movies" have come to be regarded as a growing and permanent institution whose popularity shows, as yet, no signs of diminishing. Figures recently compiled show that there are 18,000 moving picture theatres in the country with a patronage of from fifteen to twenty million people daily. New York alone has over 900 such houses with a daily attendance of about 365,000. The estimated receipts of all these houses in the country was estimated to be something like \$275,000,000.

Many people assert that the influence of the moving picture theatres on the public is detrimental, and others declare as positively that they are a great source of education and desirable amusement. It would be interesting to know what percentage of the millions who attend them daily is benefited, and what percentage is influenced for evil. Undoubtedly the possibilities of the movies for either good or evil are great, especially on the young, and since they have apparently come to stay it would be well to exert every influence to make them the power for good which they may become. If the sensational is avoided and if the educational and beautiful possibilities are kept in mind.

## A BUSY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

The Municipal Journal calls attention to the work of the health department of the District of Columbia, which according to this journal is "one of the few in the country which not only carries on systematically the various activities devolving upon the department, but publishes weekly reports upon the same." As an illustration of the work being done in the department the report for the week of January 27 may be taken as typical. In this are the mortality records; a statement of all contagious diseases, both a record of those reported for the first time during the week, the total number under observation, and the number discharged by death or otherwise. During this week 137 nuisances were reported and 168 were reported abated. Inspections were made of 24 barber shops, 14 lodging and tenement houses, 1 stable, 5 theatres, and there were 47 houses to house inspections. Observations were made of 81 smokestacks, 13 violations of the law were reported, and 14 plants were inspected. These were but a few of the activities reported, but they are sufficient to show that the health department of the District of Columbia is a busy and energetic collection of officials.

## THE TRACK TO LAWRENCE

Now that the new river road to Lawrence has been practically completed, it seems opportune that the Bay State railroad should decide to lay double tracks to the down-river city. Traffic between Lowell and Lawrence is already heavy enough to warrant such a change, and it is certain that were it not for the discomforts and uncertainties attendant on a single track, the travel on the electric would be even heavier. A double track would tend to promote intercommunication, and would in time pay the railroad for the heavy investment necessary.

## Worms Make Children Peevish

Some symptoms of worms are: De-ranged stomach, swollen upper lip, sore tongue, offensive breath, hard and full belly with occasional crampings and pains about the navel, face of leaden tint, eyes heavy and dull, twitching eyelids, itching of the rectum, short, dry cough, grinding of the teeth, little red points sticking out on tongue, starting during sleep, slow fever.

If you have the least suspicion that your child is troubled with stomach worms or pinworms, don't hesitate to get a bottle of Dr. True's Elixir. This remedy has been on the market since my father discovered it over 60 years ago. Put your child on the way to good health by using Dr. True's Elixir. The Family Laxative and Worm Expeller. Good for adults also. At all dealers. 50c, 1.00 and 1.50. Advice free.

Auburn, Maine.

Dr. True

cessary. Much of the summer travel on the Lawrence line is induced by the beauty of the river scenery, and the hundreds of camps along the river bank, and with the additional attractions of the splendid new boulevard, and the resultant development of the region through which it passes, the public will be drawn to patronize the Bay State railroad in sufficient numbers to make the proposed double track a necessity.

We read that plans for the divorce of the New Haven and Boston and Maine systems have been laid before Attorney-General McReynolds. Neither petitioner seems to be any too willing, and the judge will refuse to give either party permission to marry again. In this, the divorce of the railroads differs from the usual proceeding.

Villa kills an English subject and defies the powers; Huerta hangs an American and refuses to explain why. If both of these brigands represent the feelings of their respective followers, it is easy to understand the reason for Diaz and his tyrannical rule.

Plans for Merrimack river development go on apace. Let us hope that they will not "go on forever" like the river itself.

The bottles may at one time have contained something strong, but evidently when empty they made weak evidences.

Now for some days of sunshine and wet feet.

## Seen and Heard

Queer questions are sometimes asked by women on shopping trips. One woman, for instance, asked a man to buy a shirt for her. A friend tells this as happening one day while he was in a department store.

A woman came into the store and went to the counter where a clerk was sitting. She asked for a shirt, the clerk, the size of the shirt desired, she replied that she did not know, but inquired if he could not make a close guess if she told him the size close the man wore.

A short time later another clerk at the same counter was startled when a woman came in and asked to be shown some "men's shirts, size 38."

A buxom young woman entered a crowded street car and created no little amusement before the car had gone more than a couple of blocks. An elderly gentleman got up from his seat as she entered, but she put her hands on his shoulders and assured him that she could not think of taking his seat.

"But, madam," said the gentleman, trying to rise. Again she said she pushed him back in his seat despite his efforts to arise, each time telling him that she could not under any conditions accept his seat. Finally with an effort the man got upon his feet, his face red with anger.

"Madam," he exclaimed, "I am going to get you. You have already made them carry me four streets past my destination."

## A WOMAN'S HEALTH

Every woman's health is peculiarly dependent upon the condition of her blood. How many women suffer with headache, pain in the back, poor appetite, weak digestion, a constant feeling of weariness, palpitation of the heart, shortness of breath, pallor and nervousness? If you have any of these symptoms, your blood is impure, getting better but begin now, today, to build up your blood with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. See how the nervous energy of the body is restored as the blood becomes pure and red and the entire system is strengthened to meet every demand upon it.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are useful for all women but they are particularly valuable for girls of school age who show symptoms of going into decline, who become pale, nervous and languid. These pills aid in securing perfect development and health by strengthening the system and purifying and building up the blood. Thin blood during the growing years of a girl's life usually means a flat-chested and hollow-checked womanhood. There can be neither health nor beauty without red blood which gives brightness to the eyes and color to cheeks and lips.

Write now to the Dr. Williams Medical Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for two helpful booklets, "Plain Talks to Women" and "Building Up the Blood."

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Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets tonight; put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervous, sick, sour, gassy stomach, backache and all other distress; cleanse your inside organs of all the bile, gases and constipated matter which is producing the misery.

A ten-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. No more days of gloom and distress if you use a Cascarets now and then. All druggists sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a gentle cleansing, too.

At the example of true humility, the mother gave him a piece of cake instead of continuing with the chastisement.

SHUNNING TEMPTATION  
He turned away to shun Temptation;  
He was aware of danger where  
Of danger where  
The bright lights glowed; in desperation  
He turned from those who sought to  
slay him  
With upraised hand  
He bravely said  
He would not let Temptation sway  
him  
He turned from where the wine was  
flowing  
Where rich pools quaffed  
And women laughed,  
With jewels on their bosoms glowing.  
The wine, the dancing and the singing  
He wisely spurned,  
And as he turned  
He heard the careless laughter ringing.

Forewarned of future tribulation,  
He looked on those  
As cunning foes  
Who introduced him to Temptation;  
And then a happy thrill ran through him  
And where he was  
He passed, because  
He heard her calling sweetly to him  
—S. E. Kiser in Chicago Record-Herald.

"The small vest-pocket editions of motor boats cause us fellows more trouble than a battleship," said the captain of a North river ferryboat, pointing out of his pilot house window to a little motor boat creeping along close to the Jersey shore.

"See that boat? It's hardly larger than a Jersey mosquito, and yet I'll bet a dollar that boat makes me lose a couple of minutes."

The captain swung the wheel over and blew a deep, long blast from the whistle in an effort to scare the operator of the motor boat and cause him to eddy his course and pass to the stern of the ferry boat. The man in the motor boat paid no attention and went chug-chugging on his way.

"Just what I said," cried the captain.

## TERRIBLE ITCHING HUMOR ON FACE

Pimples Like Small Blisters. Kept from Sleep. Suffering Terrible. Cuticura Soap and Ointment Cured.

Sterling, Mass.—"My humor commenced first with a small spot of little white pimples with red surface. The pimples looked like small blisters. They disturbed me after retiring and kept me from going to sleep. The spot spread to a good size and being on my face it began to alarm me. The suffering from its itching was terrible. It caused disfigurement."

"I tried a remedy which did not help. It was less than 2 months after it broke out that I commenced to use Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I used to put the Cuticura Ointment on when going to bed and used the Cuticura Soap. The help they were doing me was seen right from the start and now my skin was all smooth. I was cured." (Signed) W. L. Beutler, May 20, 1913.

"Why should I use Cuticura Soap? There is nothing the matter with my skin and I thought Cuticura Soap was only for skin troubles." True, it is for skin troubles, but its great mission is to prevent skin troubles. For more than a generation its delicate, emollient and prophylactic properties have rendered it the standard for this purpose, while its extreme purity and refreshing fragrance give it all the advantages of the best of toilet soaps. Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment are sold everywhere. Liberal sample of each mailed free, with 25-p. Skin Book. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston."

Men who shave and shampoo with Cuticura Soap will find it best for skin and scalp.

## CLEANSSES YOUR HAIR MAKES IT BEAUTIFUL

It Becomes Thick, Wavy, Lustrous and All Dandruff Disappears

Surely try a "Dandergine Hair Cleanser." If you wish to immediately double the beauty of your hair. Just moisten a cloth with Dandergine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; this will remove the hair of dust, dirt or any excess oil—in a few minutes you will be amazed. Your hair will be wavy, fluffy and abundant and possess an incomparable softness, lustre and luxuriance.

Besides beautifying the hair, one application of Dandergine dissolves every particle of dandruff; invigorates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair.

Dandergine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It keeps it right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

You can surely have pretty, soft, lustrous hair, and lots of it, if you will just get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Dandergine from my drug store or toilet counter and try it as directed.

decorating his language freely. "Have to make connections with an outgoing train, and if I'm a minute late I have to explain why. If I keep on I'll run down that motor boat." "I have blown him a whistle, but you see he pays no attention because he doesn't know what the whistles of the road are. I suppose he thinks I'm waiting for fun. If I keep on I'll run down that motor boat, and I'm sure to lose my job; if I stop till that dinky thing is out of the way I'll lose a couple of minutes."

The captain stopped his boat and swore and the motor boat kept on. "My conception of hell," said the captain, "is a crowded river like this with a lot of fool motor boats puffing around."—New York Times.

CONTRAST  
Away with the smells of the city.  
With odors that arise from the street,  
With bustle and bustle of traffic,  
And the treadings of thousands of feet.

Away with the smells of the city.  
With its places of smoke and of grime,  
With its rivers of filthy water,  
And its sewers of sickening slime.

Oh, give me the smells of the country.  
With the songs of the birds and the  
And views of the hills and the valleys,  
And the comforting shade of the trees.

Where fragrant are ripe fields of clover  
And are acres of tall growing corn,  
And glorious scent of wild blossoms  
Inhaled with the halo of morn.

Oh, give me the country forever.  
With its woodland and valley and  
plain,  
Where Nature and Man are as brothers  
To the Power that reigns the grain.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

UNSTAMPED MAIL  
Fall River Herald. A wrong impression has been gained from the reports from the postoffice department about forwarding unstamped mail and collecting from the receiver. It does not mean that the receiver is to pay the postage. A favorable comment that welcomed the proposition might well impress the department with the advisability of extending the arrangement to first class matter.

MEXICAN POLICY  
Providence Tribune. Though President Wilson may not have that British consideration and forbearance which have procured him freedom to work his Mexican policy without harassing the conservative nations for more decisive action, the fact must not be lost sight of that the British foreign office has never signed positive approval of the lower end of his seen fit to adopt. There is no assurance that he will be left unembarrassed till the end.

MONEY SENT HOME  
Salem News. With regard to the sending of money abroad by foreigners employed in Massachusetts, the bank of all universal development, national, municipal, industrial, and the rating of land values is to be found in the means of picking the artificially inflated price of land which is maintained by the power of landowners to withhold land from use at their will. Having to pay the same amount in rates whether they use the land or not, or not at all, is a very obvious fact, but landowners will be effectively "persecuted" to put their land to use, or to release it to those who will and anxious to do so.

WALKER AND LODGE  
Springfield Union. The Hon. Joseph Walker, probably the most brilliant and magnanimous when he wrote the open letter to Senator Lodge regarding the Senator's attitude toward President Wilson, has been elected to the Senate. Lodge replied that he had already said what he thought was right, regardless of what others might say of him, and should continue to do so, is something for the Hon. Joseph himself to decide.

TUBERCULOSIS  
Brooklyn Times. More laws on tuberculosis in the demand of the secretary of the American Medical Association's health council, but no wisely added that a definite legislative policy must come first. Massachusetts, for instance, knows how to give plenty of law and no policy. We have had enough to stamp the disease out without any further legislative dickering, but the disease is now making more progress than the law.

THE CLOCK PROBLEM  
Very neat and accurate answers to the clock problem were received yesterday morning from John F. Markham, 45 Madison street, and by Helen I. Hannan, Lowell high school. A correspondent signing Simplex has also sent the correct answer without, however, giving the work. Other accurate answers were received from "K. W. N.," "P. A.," and Tempus. Miss H. M. High School "Glad," "G. A. M." and several others.

A correspondent submits the problem of finding at what time or times between 7 and 8 o'clock the hour and minute hands will be at right angles.

## CHINESE HENS' EGGS

Consul A. A. Williamson of Antung, China, writes as follows: "China has long been known as an egg-producing country and from time to time the possibility of shipping eggs to the United States has been discussed, mainly with reference to south and central China. Manchuria does not seem to figure in these calculations. If the testimony of tourists and residents of China is reliable the best eggs are to be had in that region, at least in South Manchuria. Visitors frequently remark that the eggs served in South Manchuria are twice as large as those of the United States. The hens of this region lay eggs that average from five to seven to the pound and six to the pound is common and usual."

It may be of interest to breeders and egg farmers in the United States to know that within the past week eggs weighing over four ounces have been produced by an ordinary hen of no particular breed, fed on corn and kept in a confined enclosure. This, however, is not a daily performance. The fowl referred to is a black hen, of no particular breed, but resembling a Langshan. She lays an egg weighing four ounces or over at least every third day, and lays an egg every day for about a week or 10 days, when there occurs an interval of two or three days when no eggs are laid. The smaller eggs averaged six to the pound. The shell is brown, with a circle of dark spots near one end. Other hens bought in the market average six eggs to the pound with white or brown eggs, there being no standard, of course.

What these hens could do if fed and

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ered for scientifically cannot be told, but they should do wonders. It is common to buy Chinese eggs that will average six to the pound, though smaller ones are also plentiful, but the chicken business is not yet understood by the Chinese and the hens get practically no care or attention. They forage and care for themselves. They get little protection from a temperature frequently falling below zero (Fahrenheit) and occasionally at 10 degrees or even 20 degrees below zero.

The largest eggs I have seen here average four to five pounds, some being slightly below four ounces, and others slightly over; some were 4 1/2 ounces. These were from a hen kept by a man in Antung, whose hens get more attention and better food than the Chinese hen.

"The best hen referred to was bought in the market for killing, but escaped that fate and has established a local record. This man has sent some of these large eggs to Norway, where they were admired. It might be possible to improve the size of American eggs by the introduction of careful breeding of some of the fowls referred to. The flavor of eggs bought from local Chinese farmers is often poor and sometimes objectionable, but this is undoubtedly due solely to the character of the food the hens consume, for lack of better, as they receive practically no attention from their owners."—Consular Reports.

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Fresh fruits are divided into two classes, "flavor fruits" and "food fruits," according as they are valued for their flavor or as a food, according to the office of nutrition investigations for the United States department of agriculture at Washington. Those that are 80 per cent. or more water fall under the first classification (apples, pears, peaches and most of our common fruits), while, those containing less fall under the latter (bananas, grapes and figs). The food value of a pound of dried fruit is, of course, much greater than that of a pound of fresh fruit. A pound of the latter will yield an average of about 6 ounces dried, but the amount of water in the original fruit is no guide to the food value of the dried product.

The main change which takes place during drying is the loss of water, but other changes also occur. Very often the right degree of heat produces changes not unlike those which occur during natural ripening on the plant.

In some cases the crude fibre which forms the basis of the plant structure is reduced in amount by the loss of water. Much of the starch is changed to some form of sugar. The change in flavor is due partly to the proportionate increase from chemical changes.

To determine which of two fruits is more economical, not only must the cost per pound be known, but the amount of bodily fuel that makes or material a pound of each would supply. One must also consider what expense is required to prepare each for the table. Grapes commonly cost less a pound than raisins, but a given sum spent for grapes will buy a smaller amount of nutritive material, since the proportion of water is much higher than in the raisins.

On the other hand, low-priced fresh fruit is sometimes as economical as a somewhat cheaper dried fruit, since the latter would require sugar and fuel to make it ready for the table.

Attention should also be directed to the extent of inedible material. Numerous studies made of nutritive value by the office of experiment stations have shown that dried fruits may be termed an economical article of diet. Fruit products in general contain little protein, but as sources of energy, derived almost entirely from their sugar, dried fruits are decidedly cheaper than meats and compare favorably with dairy products. They are, however, more expensive than cereals and starchy vegetables, such as dried beans and potatoes.

Under no circumstances should fresh and dried fruits be thought a luxury, since they supply the needed nutritive material as an integral part of the diet, besides adding to the attractiveness of the daily fare. If they are to be the better, brands made and marketed in a cleanly way should be obtained.

The amount of dried fruit produced in the United States increased 575 per cent. between 1899 and 1908. California produces more than four-fifths of the yearly output, according to a very recent estimate, each person in this country consuming on an average of five or six pounds of dried fruit a year.

The value of the product rose from between four and five millions to over 11 millions in 10 years. The average wholesale price, however, has advanced with the increased demand; on the contrary, it has dropped from

about 5-12 cents to about 4-12 cents per pound.

Dried fruits are especially useful when the supply of fresh fruits is limited or where storage space for fresh fruits is lacking. Besides being used alone, they may be mixed into cakes, puddings, confectionery and other dishes. They afford a nutritious and economical way of securing a variety of diet, which is often overlooked by the housewife.

**PRIZE FOR PLANTING TREES**  
The Mass. Forestry Assn. will give one mile of street or road which will be planted to shade trees at least seven feet in height, by the state Forestry association in the town or city which properly plants this spring the greatest number of shade trees on its streets in proportion to its population based on the census of 1910.

The rules of the contest are as follows:  
1. At least fifty towns and cities must have entered the contest, and all must notify the association of their intention to compete before July 1st.

2. The prize will be awarded on the number of trees planted on September 15, 1914, when the official count will be taken by the committee representing the town or city and reported to the association within one week of that date.

3. This provision is to eliminate trees improperly planted, and which have died from that or other cause during the summer.

4. The report must be signed by the chairman of selectmen and the tree warden, or in the case of a city, the mayor and the officer in charge of the trees, or other parties especially appointed for this purpose by the selectmen or the mayor. These officers or such committee will constitute the official committee to represent the town or city.

5. In case the winning town does not have a mile of street in one or several blocks which have not been planted to trees, the committee may plant two hundred trees in different parts of the town or city. Further, if there is not space for the whole two hundred trees or any part of them, the money which would have been spent in the planting of that number of trees may be turned into the treasury of said town or city to be used in the protection of its trees.

6. The committee of the Forestry association will confer with the official committee of the town or city as to the location of the trees and the variety to be planted.

7. The trees will be planted this fall or not later than the following spring. The time most propitious being left to the judgment of the committee of the Forestry association.

**PURE FOOD LAW**  
In the newspaper summaries of the supreme court's decision in the bleached flour case the opinion of the court is epitomized in this sentence:

"If (poison present in the food under consideration) cannot by any possibility, when the facts are reasonably considered, injure the health of any consumer, such flour, though having a small addition of poisonous or deleterious ingredients, may not be condemned under the act."

Poisons resulting from the processes of nature or preparation are present in harmless quantities in many food-stuffs and a law which banned the use of an admixture in which a trace of deleterious matter could be found would greatly restrict the human diet and make the present high cost of living seem ridiculously low. What the court says is that the condemnation under the statute extends only to those foodstuffs that contain poisons in quantities large enough to render them unwholesome. It does not say that the bad effect must be produced by a single dose or the suspected food or that the cumulative effect of repeated doses shall not be taken into account. It does lay down the principle that the government must prove not only the presence of poison in any product it attempts to condemn, but affirmatively that the poison is in quantity sufficient to injure the health of "any person."

"By any possibility, when the facts are reasonably considered."

While this rule may in some cases render it more difficult to suppress deleterious foods, we do not believe its ultimate effect will be actually to rob the public of the benefits of the pure food legislation. If a food is injurious that fact is susceptible of proof. If it is not it should not be withdrawn from the public. Moreover, the states and local boards of health have duties and powers in the premises that should not be disregarded.

If it should turn out that the present statute affords a loophole for the distribution of unhealthy foods, Congress can amend it to meet the conditions, and this is the necessity is shown to exist, the national legislature will unquestionably do promptly in response to the intelligent public demand for pure and clean food.—New York Sun.

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All Flavors  
Pork and Beans ..... 11c  
Evaporated Milk ..... 9c, 3 for 25c

**COOKED MEATS**

Roast Chicken ..... 35c lb.  
Roast Beef ..... 40c lb.  
Roast Pork ..... 40c lb.  
Boiled Ham ..... 40c lb.  
Boiled Tongue ..... 32c lb.  
Boiled Corned Beef ..... 20c lb.  
Boiled Beef Tongue ..... 50c lb.  
Beef Loaf ..... 20c lb.  
Head Cheese ..... 14c lb.  
Minced Ham ..... 14c lb.  
Pressed Ham ..... 15c lb.  
Bologna ..... 12 1/2c lb.  
Frankfurts (Best German) ..... 15c lb.  
Fresh Pork Sausages ..... 15c lb.  
Fresh Tripe ..... 12c lb.  
Pigs Feet ..... 10c lb.  
Pork Pie ..... 22c lb.  
English Side Bacon ..... 22c lb.  
English Sugar Cured Ham ..... 30c lb.  
English Blood Pudding ..... 12c lb.  
English Liver Bacon ..... 25c lb.  
German Liverwurst ..... 15c lb.  
German Tonguewurst ..... 15c lb.  
German Head Cheese ..... 15c lb.  
German Knockwurst ..... 15c lb.  
Pickled Tripe ..... 8c lb.  
Saunders' Tomato Sausage ..... 15c lb.  
Saunders' Beef Sausage ..... 13c lb.  
Saunders' Pork Sausage ..... 15c lb.

**SPECIALS**

Seeded Raisins ..... 7c pkg.  
Not-a-Seed Raisins ..... 5c pkg.  
D-Zerta Pudding ..... 6c pkg.  
Fruittena Pudding ..... 4c pkg.  
Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel  
15c lb.  
French Mushrooms ..... 21c, 25c  
Corn Flakes ..... 4c pkg.  
Chivers, Pure Orange Marmalade ..... 16c

**6c—AMMONIA—6c**

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**27c—EGGS—27c**

Fresh Eggs, doz ..... 27c  
Armour's Helmet in Cartons, doz ..... 31c  
Brookfield Eggs, strictly fresh, in Cartons, dozen ..... 35c

**CHEESE**

**SPECIAL FOR THIS WEEK**  
Limburger Cheese ..... 20c lb.  
Very Good Cheese, lb ..... 10c  
Full Cream Cheese, lb ..... 19c  
Sage, lb ..... 20c  
Swiss, lb ..... 30c  
Roquefort, lb ..... 35c, 40c  
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Full Cream Edam ..... 35c  
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5 LBS. SUGAR FOR 18c  
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Wan Eta Cocoa, absolutely pure, in 1 lb. Mason Jars ..... 23c  
Wan Eta Chocolate ..... 14c 1-2 lb.  
Bonsdorps Cocoa ..... 30c  
Bakers Cocoa ..... 19c

Macaroni ..... 5c  
Spaghettini ..... 5c  
Vermicelli ..... 5c

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10-30 lb. tubs, lb. .... 13 1-2c  
1 Lb. Prints Vermont Butterine, extra good quality ..... 14c  
Highest Grade, half cream, lb. .... 20c, 25c

**SOAPS**

Soapine ..... 4c Pkg.  
Pearline, 3 5c pkgs. .... 10c  
Ivory Soap ..... 6 for 25c  
Peerless White Floating ..... 10 for 25c  
White Rose ..... 10 for 25c  
Swift's Pride ..... 9 for 25c  
Swift's Naptha ..... 7 for 25c  
Swift's Borax ..... 7 for 25c  
Lenox ..... 7 for 25c  
Welcome ..... 7 for 25c  
Every Woman's ..... 7 for 25c  
P. and G. Naptha ..... 7 for 25c  
20 Muleteam Borax ..... 7 for 25c  
Pure White Castile ..... 7 for 25c  
Snap ..... 14 for 25c  
Pearl ..... 6 for 25c  
Bee ..... 6 for 25c  
Swift's Wool ..... 7 for 25c  
Grandma's Washing Powder ..... 4c, 12c  
Jumbo Washing Powder ..... 4c  
Swift's Washing Powder ..... 4c  
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Four Quarter Lamb, lb. .... 14c  
Four Quarter Veal, lb. .... 12c  
Fancy Milk Fed Chicken, lb. 23c  
Fancy Chickens, lb. .... 25c  
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Wherever she gave her hand;  
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"It is easier to talk of breeding improved human beings than to begin by improving oneself and training one's children. The future of the human race can be enhanced only through character building by individuals and courageous adherence to ideals by nations."

## HURLED 60 FEET

Man Killed by Train—  
Mangled Body Lands  
in Front of Own Door

CANTON JUNCTION, Feb. 27.—Struck by the Federal express on the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad viaduct at 10:35 yesterday morning, Wilbert H. Jerauld, aged 63, married, for 29 years section foreman, was hurled through the air a distance of 60 feet, striking on Neposet street far below the bridge, where he was found dead a few seconds later, directly in front of the door of his own home.

While superintending the work of a crew of men who were removing snow from the tracks, Jerauld found himself standing directly in the path of an outbound train. At the instant which he stepped from one track to the other he was struck by the express, which was coming at top speed in the opposite direction.

## KILLED WITH GUE

Fernald Gets Life Sentence for Killing Man in Pool Room Quarrel

PLYMOUTH, Feb. 27.—Charles P. Fernald of Wareham was sentenced yesterday to a life term in the state prison for the murder in the second degree of Joseph H. Heller at Onset.

Fernald was proprietor of a barber shop and billiard room, and in ejecting Heller after a quarrel struck him over the head with a cue. The blow resulted in Heller's death a few days later.

Fernald was found guilty March 15, 1911, but pending the outcome of his unsuccessful appeal to the supreme court on exceptions, he has been confined in jail here.

When sentence was pronounced the prisoner broke down and cried, but later recovered and thanked the officers who had had him in custody and the district attorney for their treatment of him. Fernald, before engaging in business in Wareham, lived in Portland, Me.

## RANTOUL DIVORCE CASE

HUSBAND TAKES STAND AND TELLS STORY OF HIS MARRIED LIFE—SISTER TESTIFY

BOSTON, Feb. 27.—Edward S. Rantoul, the husband, after a day of sensational testimony in the Rantoul divorce case yesterday, took the stand late in the afternoon to tell his side of the story concerning his married life with his wife, Lois Rantoul, who is seeking freedom from him on the grounds of cruel and abusive treatment and other serious charges.

With the appearance of the husband on the stand the climax of the case is reached, for immediately following his testimony, Chester Chapin Rantoul, the man for whom his wife is suing for divorce, will add his story in the interest of the defense. Attorneys for the defense stated last night that Mr. Rantoul would probably occupy the stand during the entire session of today.

He will deny various allegations in the libel. He will tell of his intimate relations with Chester Rantoul, of how often he had seen him, how he entered his home and took the love of his wife away. He will reveal the intimate family relations of himself and his

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## CALLS EUGENICS JOKE

GREATEST SNARE OF MODERN THOUGHT, SAYS PROF. KROEBER—ASSAILS HEREDITY ALSO

BERKELEY, Cal., Feb. 27.—Branding eugenics as the greatest snare of modern thought, Professor A. L. Kroeber of the department of anthropology of the University of California declared in a lecture yesterday that the movement was "a joke."

According to Professor Kroeber, "in-

dividual endeavor and high ideals are the only things that will make better human beings."

"Hereditarianism," continued Prof. Kroeber, "is the most misunderstood subject under discussion today. Ninety-nine per cent. of what is commonly attributed to heredity has nothing to do with it, and is merely a matter of environment."

"Scientists have run riot with the idea until they fail to distinguish between heredity, which comes from the inside, and inheritance, which, like a fortune, comes from the outside."

"Civilization is an inheritance pure and simple, not caused in the slightest degree, by heredity. Civilization has progressed, but man has stood still,

and probably will always remain the same."

"Alfred Russell Wallace was entirely right when he said that, in spite of the enormous advances of civilization, human intelligence and capacity have not increased in thousands of years. The men of the ice age possessed the same mental capacities of the Anglo-Saxon of today, and until this fact is recognized, all history will continue to be misunderstood."

"So far as civilization is concerned, there is no such thing as an Anglo-Saxon breed or a white man's burden. Kipling, though his newspaper training has made him an effective poet, and his idiosyncrasies a great one, has fundamentally false ideas of national phy-

wife, of their home life and in many ways a story that will in many ways be the opposite from that told by his wife on the stand five days ago.

It was near closing time when Mr. Rantoul took the stand last night, following the testimony of his two sisters, Misses Harriet and Edith. For a greater part of the day Mrs. Rantoul had sat in the witness room outside the court room.

## CASTORIA

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WHAT'S IN A NAME  
Zabern, the scene of the recent Prussian military eccentricities, is the Germanized form of Saverne, and it is curious that, in spite of the entente with France, we should use the Teuton name. We do not write Köln for Cologne, Mainz for Mayence or Aachen for Aix-la-Chapelle.

The calm way in which we have Anglicized certain names of foreign places is curiously characteristic. The "a" at the end of Lyons and Marseilles is our addition, and for some reason or the other we changed Avers into Averbier, Bruxelles into Brussels, and Wien into Vienna, and prefixed the St. to Petersburg. The French have a name of their own for London, but generally names of cities remain the same in all languages.—London Express.

WILSON NOT TO VISIT HUD  
BOSTON, Feb. 27.—President Wilson will not be in Boston to participate in the Evacuation day exercises March 17, as the committee of arrangements had hoped.

The president's secretary yesterday sent a telegram to the mayor which stated that the president is not accepting any invitations outside the direct line of official engagements.

## Severe Case of Chafing

Nurse Danforth of Derry, N. H., says: "I have just had occasion to use Comfort Powder in a severe case of chafing and it was quickly healed. Comfort Powder is the best I have ever used for any skin soreness of infants and children."

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Campbell's Beans, 3 cans, 25c	Shoulder of Lamb, lb.....10c	Main Pickles, Pickled
Challenge Condensed Milk, can.....10c	Lamb Chops, lb.....12½c, 18c	Onions, Catsup, large bot-
Pink Salmon.....9c	Best Round Steak, lb, 20c, 22c and 25c	the.....9c
Steak Salmon, can.....10c	Best Sirloin Steak, lb, 25c and 28c	Carolina Rice, lb.....5c, 8c
Alaska Red Salmon.....14c	Hump Steak, lb.....25c and 30c	Pea Beans, qt.....9c
Canned Peas.....8c and 10c	Rib Roast Beef, lb.....14c, 15c	Lipton's Jelly Tablets, all
Canned Tomatoes.....8c	Sirloin Roast, lb.....18c	flavors, 3 pgs. for.....25c
None-Such Mince Meat.....9c	Roast Pork.....16c	Pure Extracts, 3 bottles for 25c
Quaker Rolled Oats, pkg.....9c	Corned Beef, lb.....10c to 14c	New Seeded Raisins, pkg. 6c
Best Pure Lard, lb.....14c	Salt Spare Ribs, fancy, lb, 11c, 12c	Macaroni or Spaghetti, pkg. 6c
Soaps: Welcome, Naphtha, Ivory, Borax or any kind, 3 bars for.....9c	Pig's Head, lb.....8c	Butter Thins, 2 lbs.....125c
5 lb. Bag of Salt.....5c	Salt Pork, lb.....12c, 13c	5 lbs. Pail Jelly.....20c
3 5-cent Pkgs. of Matches 10c	Smoked Bacon, lb.....20c	Mild Cheese, lb.....20c
Good Broom.....25c	Sliced Ham, lb.....22c, 25c	
Household Cleanser, can.....4c	Best Frankfurts, lb.....14c	
Onions, lb.....4c		
Compound Lard, 30 lb. Tubs, 9 1-2c		
Compound Lard in 3 or 5 lb. Pails.....11c		
Pope Lard in Tubs, lb.....12c		
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# From Yesterday's Late Editions

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## AN IMPORTANT DECISION WATERWAY CONFERENCE GAVE GOMPERS JAIL TERM

### School Committee Cannot Grant Gratuities of Any Kind—Neither Can the City Itself

BOSTON, Feb. 26.—A school committee has no legal right to pay a teacher for services not actually performed, the full bench of the supreme court decided today. The matter came up in a suit which Robert K. Whitaker, a school teacher of Salem, brought against the city to compel it to fulfill the agreement of the school committee, which gave him a vacation with half pay for one year because of illness.

### At Lawrence on Development of the Merrimack River—Committees Chosen to Appear Before Legislature

A waterway conference of delegates of the boards of trade of the Merrimack Valley was held this afternoon in the rooms of the Lawrence chamber of commerce and was attended by a large number of citizens from Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill and Newburyport. The matter of developing the Merrimack river was discussed at considerable length and plans were made for future action.

A special car left Merrimack square at 1.10 o'clock conveying the local delegates to the down-river city, where they were met by members of the committee in charge and escorted to the rooms of the chamber of commerce.

The joint conference was arranged by the waterway committee of the local board of trade and in view of this fact considerable interest was taken by the Lowell men who attended. A feature of the session was the address by Louis R. Hovey, a member of the Merrimack Valley Waterway board, appointed by the governor. Mr. Hovey explained in detail the recommendations made in the report of the board which is now before the legislature and his talk was interesting and instructive.

Shortly after 2 o'clock Secretary John H. Murphy of the Lowell board of trade called the meeting to order and spoke as follows:

"The waterway committee of the Lowell board of trade took the initiative and called the boards of trade of the Merrimack valley into conference today for the purpose of discussing the report of the Merrimack valley waterway committee and the estimates of the cost of the project. It is now necessary that all the preliminary steps and arrangements necessary in order to bring about the realization of the river development had been completed and that the final proposition of securing an appropriation for the work is now at hand and requires the earnest co-operation and assistance of every commercial interest in the valley."

"That it is not an expensive project is vouched for by the estimates of reliable engineers who have made careful and expert surveys. What is needed today is to demonstrate that the commercial value of this project is sufficient to warrant the expenditure of money by the state and government. The apparent railroad opposition is no longer to be considered. Attention to their own business is of sufficient importance as to require their entire time. The other opposition has been very successfully eliminated by means of expert calculations by engineers of the United States government in claiming that the present scheme of development of navigation in the river will increase the water power rights now held by power companies."

Among the Lowell men in attendance were: Arthur W. Saunders, Charles H. McIntire, C. C. Knight, James J. Richardson, Capt. William P. White, Hon. James E. O'Donnell, J. Edward Lytle, Percy F. Gilbert, Will Rounds, Jesse Cronk, J. Walter Bakers, Daniel A. McKim, Robert F. Marden and Secretary Murphy.

K. H. Sutherland of the Massachusetts waterway commission, followed Mr. Murphy and spoke on the development of the rivers and harbors. He called attention to the fact that in 30 years Canada had spent \$350,000,000 for the development of her waterways and that the United States had spent less than half that amount. He spoke of the amounts spent by other countries and then turned his attention to the \$3,000,000 for the development of Boston harbor and told what had been done by the directors of that harbor to bring new traffic there.

Louis R. Hovey spoke on the report of the Merrimack valley waterway committee and after reading a paper, answered a number of questions. He was followed by Daniel S. Casey, secretary of the Haverhill board of trade.

It was voted that Secretary Murphy and Chairman Sutherland appoint a committee of ten to meet the legislators of the Middlesex and Essex counties early next week at the state house in Boston, to discuss with them the navigation matter in an effort to have the \$1,000,000 appropriation for the improvement of the river.

It was also voted to endorse the recommendations of the Merrimack valley waterways board in its last report. On motion of Secretary Murphy it was voted to ask the mayors and aldermen of the various cities along the Merrimack river to attend the hearing at the state house a week from tomorrow.

After considerable discussion it was voted to ask the congressmen of the two counties, Messrs. Gardiner, Rogers and Phelan, as well as the county commissioners of both counties to use their influence with the representatives and senators in relation to the appropriation.

P. H. Doherty of Haverhill suggested that the cities of Lowell, Lawrence, Haverhill and Newburyport as well as the towns and the cities that will benefit by the project, be taxed the share of the one million dollars appropriation.

### Charges of Irregularities and Misconduct Against Justice Wright Who Sentenced Labor Leader

WASHINGTON, Feb. 26.—Charges of irregularities and misconduct against Justice Daniel T. Wright of the district supreme court here, who attracted national attention when he sentenced Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison, the labor leaders, to jail for contempt of court, were made in a petition filed with President Wilson today by Wade K. Cooper, president of two local savings banks. The petition contained allegations of irregularity in the conduct of his court and of personal conduct also.

Justice Wright formerly was an officer in one of the Cooper banks. Disagreements over the management of the institution and bitter controversy between the two men.

## GUNMEN TO BE EXECUTED

ALBANY, N. Y., Feb. 26.—"Gyp the Murderer of Herman Rosenthal, the Blood 'Lefty' Louie," "Whitey Lewis," and "Dago Frank," the four gunmen jointly convicted with former Police Lieut. Charles Becker for the

## ON STREET RAILROADS

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE TO HOLD HEARING IN MASS. CITIES AND TOWNS

BOSTON, Feb. 26.—The legislative committee on street railroads voted today to hold public hearings in a number of western Massachusetts cities and towns on the advisability of state aid for the development of trolley lines in that section. The legislature last year authorized the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad to expend \$5,000,000 for the purchase and development of such lines but it is understood at the state house that the federal authorities are opposed to the union of trolley and railroad lines.

Trolley development west of the Connecticut river has been argued by business organizations of that part of the state for the past five years.

COMING TO LOWELL

The many friends of Mr. Earl A. Desautels, formerly of this city and now of Montreal, Que., will be pleased to learn he is returning to Lowell, where he will enter the employ of Le Supplément Publishing Co., a daily French paper, and will begin his new duties on March 1.

Mr. Desautels is favorably known in Lowell, where he lived practically all his life with the exception of the past few years during which time he was connected with the P. Paul Marcel Co., a theatrical company composed of French artists, which traveled through Canada and the states.

TO RELIEVE ICE BLOCKADE

WOODS HOLE, Feb. 26.—The revenue cutter Albatross left today for Nantucket in an effort to relieve the ice blockade of that island. She carried eight passengers and a much accumulated mail. The cutter will try to break out a channel into the harbor to free the regular steamer Santuky, which has been imprisoned since Tuesday. Should the cutter's efforts prove unsuccessful she will proceed to Nantucket on the south side of the island to land mail and passengers.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## FAVORS WOMAN SUFFRAGE

### G. O. P. at Get Together Banquet—Sen. William Wants Absolute Obliteration of Monopoly

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 26.—Senator William of Idaho argued for a national policy of absolute obliteration of monopoly at "Get Together" banquet of republicans here today.

Senator Borah also expressed the personal hope that Ohio soon would enter the ranks of woman suffrage states and predicted that equal suffrage would become nationwide eventually through adoption by individual states and not by a federal constitutional amendment.

Whether the meeting today was actually a "get together" between republicans and progressives was a question of dispute.

Republican leaders assert that 20 per cent of the state's delegates to the dinner voted the third party ticket in 1912.

Charles Thurber, secretary of the progressive state executive committee gave out a statement denying that many members of the progressive party are returning to the fold of the republicans.

## FISH AND GAME WARDENS

### Harry Gonzales After Men Who Kill the Starving Pheasants—Others Feed Them

The Lowell Fish and Game association is now making an endeavor to have a Lowell resident appointed deputy state fish and game warden and they have good reasons to do this, for it is being reported that although it is against the law, a number of pheasants are being killed daily in Lowell and vicinity.

Harry Gonzales is the fish warden for this city, but he has practically nothing to do with the game end of it and it is he who is receiving all the complaints relative to the killing of pheasants. Yesterday he received a telephone call to the effect that a certain young man was enjoying himself in killing pheasants in the city, which by the way, are here in large numbers, and he immediately tried to connect by telephone with Game Warden Larkin of Andover, but the latter was out of town.

There are people, however, who are interested in these pheasants and a couple of families have been feeding some of the birds all winter, for this kind of weather is very hard on these birds, and Mr. Gonzales feels that these

kind people should be given special mention. They are L. K. Sprague of Sprague avenue and Dr. McDonough of Chelmsford.

The state fish and game warden commissioners are Dr. Field, chairman; Messrs. Adams and Graham. They are located at the state house in Boston and their mission is to look after the deputy fish and game wardens all over the state. The Lowell municipal council will be asked to select a list of names for game warden for the city of Lowell, which will be sent to the fish and game commissioners, who in turn will select one name from the list.

The members of the Lowell Fish and Game association feel that the Spaulds City is large enough to have a game warden of its own and that is why they will send a request to the council for the appointment of one. The association is doing considerable for the welfare of the city in the line of fish and game, and they were recently informed that a supply of white perch will soon be stocked at Long-bought-for pond, while large quantities of pickerel and white perch will also be placed in other ponds in the immediate vicinity of Lowell.

### FUNERAL NOTICES

**HILKEY**—The funeral of the late Walter V. Hilkey will take place on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from his home, 15 Buttrick street. At 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church. Burial in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

### FUNERALS

**MORRIS**—The funeral of the late John Morris took place this morning at 9 o'clock from the home of his sister, Mrs. Patrick Burke, 221 School street and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends including a number from out of town, also the following delegation from Court General Dimon, F. A. O., of which Dr. Hanger, Michael Monahan, Financial Secretary Stephen D. Breen, Senior

Woodward John Mulligan and Junior Woodward Eugene Doulier. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where at 9 o'clock a mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Timothy Callahan. There were many beautiful floral tributes, including a large pillow inscribed "Brother," from Martin and Sarah, and pieces from Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Burke, the Burke children and Miss Lizzie Burke. The bearers were John Loughlin, John Fitzgerald, John Callahan, William O'Leighlin, James Courtney and John Burke. At the grave Rev. Fr. Callahan read the committal prayer and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Sons.

**PENDER**—The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary Pender, an esteemed old resident, took place this morning at 9 o'clock from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Andrew Goggin, 146 B street, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Margaret's church where at 9 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem was sung by the

pastor, Rev. Charles J. Galligan, assisted by Rev. Daniel Heffernan of St. Peter's church as deacon and Rev. Henry Reardon as subdeacon. There were many beautiful floral tributes, including a large pillow from the Goggin family, and offerings from Mr. and Mrs. Avery Marshall and family, Mrs. Frank Butters, James Pliner and family, Master Charles Work, Miss Margaret Pender, Mrs. Richardson and Miss Lillian Richardson, the painting department of the C. I. Hood Co., Mr. and Mrs. Leary and family, Miss Mary Leary, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Harrington and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Clinton, John McNally, Mr. and Mrs. William Coston, the Warren family, Mrs. James Walsh, Mrs. Green, Mrs. Noyes, Mrs. Dow, Mrs. Hixley, Mrs. Heagaboon, Mrs. Chesley, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Yagerhorn. The bearers were James E. Gorman, James Reardon, Simon Flynn and John Flynn. At the grave Rev. Fr. Galligan, assisted by Rev. Fr. Heffernan, read the committal prayer and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery.

**ATTENTIVE SUICIDE TWICE**

Joseph H. Clark, Aged 70, Foundation Track in Highland Avenue, Somerville.—Suffered From Dementia.

BOSTON, Feb. 26.—Joseph H. Clark, aged 70, of 25 Elm place, Somerville, made two attempts at suicide yesterday. The first was found lying across the street car track on Highland Avenue at 2.10 by Motorist Michael Lawrence on his inward trip. The motorist raised the old man from the tracks and led him to the sidewalk and proceeded on his trip.

On the return trip at 3.05 Layton found the man stretched across the tracks almost in the same spot. This time he was put into a police car and taken to the Chardon Hill carvers, West Somerville, and turned over to this police.

Dr. Wm. A. Bell said he had been suffering from dementia and returned him to his home.

### TELEPHONE MANNER

DISCOURTESIES THAT SHOULD BE AVOIDED IN USING THE TELEPHONE

If some one could lay down a cut-and-dried code of telephone manner, fewer discourtesies would pass back and forth between friends and neighbors every day. But the telephone, as yet a fairly new convenience. When it is as old a social institution as a trolley or a saddle horse, the may be definite rules regarding its use.

Among both women and men telephone manners are bad. We make little effort, in fact, to be courteous over the telephone.

"Hello, who is this?" is the insistent call that comes over our wire day after day. The courteous thing to say of course, is this: "Hello, is this T. Alan?" And, if an affirmative answer is given, "This is Mrs. Blank. Is Mr. Brown at home?"

The method of most women—of calling the number they want on the telephone and then rudely demanding the name of the owner of the voice that answers them—is reminiscent of an experience business men sometimes have. One busy man, consulting with a very important business associate, gave word to the office boy that he on no account could be disturbed. A moment later he heard the office boy's statement that Mr. X was engaged. The caller waited five minutes and then, seeing no change of getting an interview in the near future, went to the switchboard, connected himself with the office of the man he wanted to see, and had his conversation over the telephone.

The office boy, overcome with unaccustomed timidity at the visitor "nerves" sat quietly by and thought of the scolding he would receive presently from his employer. He was not disappointed. The employer, rightly or wrongly, with any telephone call, would insist to no explanations and the boy had to suffer for the man's rudeness.

A good way to greet the insistent demand on the other end of the wire is, "Who you are is to say, 'This is No. 211,' or whatever your number may be. If you are called, be taught to answer the telephone in this same way. Or, they may say, 'This is Mr. Brown's residence.' But it is better not to give your name over the telephone until you know who has called you up. The person who has called you has taken upon herself the responsibility of giving her name first.

The telephone, incidentally, is so usual today that there is no use preaching against it. And, indeed, it is in no way harmful. It saves time, trouble, and worry, and when it is given carefully and as carefully answered it is in every way good.

But somehow we do not regard telephoning as a social gathering. Invitations with the same reverence we bestow on other invitations. Few of us would fail to keep an engagement which had been suggested to us by means of an engraved invitation. Few of us would neglect a written invitation.

But many of us, say, at the last minute, if we are to die to feel sorry to which we have been bidden by telephone. "Well, she got me on the telephone; I'll just telephone her and tell her I cannot come, and she can get some one else on the telephone."

Of course, a telephoned invitation deserves just as much consideration as one engraved on gold or a formal summons from a king.

**FERTILIZATION FOR TIMBER**

To help bring about complete utilization of chestnut timber killed by the blight or bark disease in the New England and the middle Atlantic states, the forest service is sending a circular letter to woodlot owners in these sections.

This letter says that dead timber should be cut this winter if the products can be sold or used and an accompanying circular, vouchers for the merchantability of sound dead timber and discusses briefly the blight to which blight-killed chestnut may be put.

All the states in which the chestnut bark disease is prevalent have state foresters and they are cooperating with the forest service to the fullest extent in the work of securing utilization of the disease-killed material.

Chestnut timber is not rendered any less serviceable by the disease, but it naturally deteriorates if it is left standing for any considerable length of time.

This and other facts are brought out in the circular sent to timber owners who are told that poles, ties, lumber, and other products cut from blight-killed chestnut are marketable while the timber is unmanufactured and secure advice as to utilizing dead chestnut if they will write to the Forest Service, Washington, D. C., giving the amount of chestnut timber and the average diameter of the trees.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

### SAFE STEAMSHIP

Britannic, Built for the White Star Line, Was Launched Today

BELFAST, Ireland, Feb. 26.—Safety, so far as human foresight and the best engineering skill of the age can provide, is the feature of the transatlantic steamer Britannic, built for the White Star line and launched here today.

The keel of the 60,000-ton craft had just been laid when the Titanic, then the last word in marine architecture on her first and last voyage, crashed her hull against an iceberg off Newfoundland and sank with the loss of about 1500 souls. This disaster prompted a general revision of the plans for the Britannic, which greatly delayed her passage to the launching stage. She is a triple screw steamer, 300 feet in length. A complete inner skin extends to a considerable height above the load line and the height and angle of the bulkheads has been increased. It is claimed for the Britannic that she will be able to float with any six compartments flooded.

The inner skin consists of heavy plating, which extends for more than half the length of the vessel from the watertight bulkhead in front of the forward boiler room to the aftermost of the torpeding room. It is connected to the outer shell by longitudinal stiffeners and angles, with especially strong connections at bulkheads and watertight divisions.

The music department of the Alderley Women's club is to conduct a series of Puccini Operas, during the first week of the month of February. The first will be held on Saturday afternoon, February 28, at 3 o'clock in the First Baptist church on Church street, by Mr. Benjamin L. Whelpley of the Arlington Street church, Boston. It is hoped that lovers of good music will attend these recitals.

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The music department of the Alderley Women's club is to conduct a series of Puccini Operas, during the first week of the month of February. The first will be held on Saturday afternoon, February 28, at 3 o'clock in the First Baptist church on Church street, by Mr. Benjamin L. Whelpley of the Arlington Street church, Boston. It is hoped that lovers of good music will attend these recitals.



# MAYOR STEALS SCHOOL

## Newburyport Executive Moves Tools, Etc., From Trade School to the City Hall

NEWBURYPORT, Feb. 27.—The Prince Place Manual Training School was stolen yesterday. The author of the unique burglary is Mayor William H. Landford, who took his surprising means of enforcing his decision that the teaching of manual training in the public schools here is to stop March 1.

The school board, which has hought otherwise will seek a writ from the supreme court to make the mayor put the school back.

The act of the mayor in stealing a school, and stealing a march on his opponents on the board at the same time, has sent a wave of controversy, mingled with considerable mirth, through the citizens here.

The school consisted of tools, benches, and machinery installed in an old factory building, and when the mayor decided on his stroke, he simply had a tray backed up to the door yesterday morning, set a bunch of husky furniture movers to work and cleaned the place out.

The school was captured by Mayor Landford before the very eyes of instructor W. F. Woodbury, whose frenzied protest against the proceedings failed to move the stolid "plans smashers," hired accomplices in the novel raid.

A few days ago the mayor tried to visit the school, and was, it is said, refused admission by instructor Woodbury. Now the school is safely tucked away in the city hall basement, under the mayor's office, and the teacher has

## KIDNEY AND BLADDER TROUBLE CAUSES GREAT DISTRESS

It gives me great pleasure to recommend Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root to any one suffering from bladder trouble.

For four years I was troubled by hemorrhages from the bladder and was not able to get any doctor who could help me. I was in such shape that sleep at night was impossible on account of distressing symptoms. While bending over I would be stricken with such a pain that it was impossible for me to straighten up. Mr. Henry, one of our leading druggists, advised Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, although I never had any faith in patent medicines, as a last resort I purchased a dollar bottle of Swamp-Root. I noticed a decided change and after using two bottles I was completely cured. It seemed remarkable that I should be cured so quickly after being ill so long. But since this took place nearly two years ago, I have never been troubled and would highly advise anyone suffering from the same trouble to at least give Swamp-Root a trial and I think the results will be the same as mine.

Yours very truly,  
THOMAS A. BENNETT,  
Greensburg, Indiana.

Personally appeared before me this 14th day of February, 1913, Mr. T. A. Bennett, who subscribed the above statement and made oath that the same is true in substance and in fact.

L. A. BOWEN,  
Notary Public.

Letter to  
Dr. Kilmer & Co.  
Binghamton, N. Y.

Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do For You

Send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample size bottle. It will convince anyone. You will also receive a booklet of valuable information, telling about the kidneys and bladder. When writing, be sure and mention The Lowell Sun. Regular fifty-cent and one-dollar size bottles for sale at all drug stores.

## TWO MIDNIGHT FIRES

### OCCUPANTS OF TENEMENT HOUSES AWAKENED BY MERRIMACK AND MOODY STREET FIRES

A fire which originated in a closet near a hot water boiler in a tenement at 909-911 Moody street about 11:30 o'clock last night gave the fire department a needless run, for when the apparatus arrived the blaze had been extinguished by the members of the family. The fire was discovered by a little girl who was awakened by the smoke. She immediately aroused her parents, who, with pails of water succeeded in checking the blaze. The house is owned by Frank Paquette, who occupies the lower tenement. The upper tenement, where the fire started, was occupied by the family of Louis Bibeault.

Fire on Merrimack Street

Rats and matches are believed to have caused the fire in a brick apartment building at 750 Merrimack street at 11:15 o'clock last night. The blaze started on a shelf over the cellar stairs and one of the occupants, who, smelling smoke investigated and found a brick blaze in progress. The fire department was summoned and the fire was quickly put out. The building is owned by Omer Deziel. Frank M. Brogan carried the insurance on the building.

## OVERSEER JOHN CURRAN

### SURPRISED AT HIS HOME AND PRESENTED TOKENS OF ESTEEM

Overseer John Curran of the Tremont & Suffolk mill, and Mrs. Curran, were agreeably surprised last night, when, about midnight, they were awakened by the sound of a fire alarm. At 11:30 o'clock, and presented Mr. Curran a handsome watch chain and charm and gold ring, while Mrs. Curran was the recipient of a pretty dinner set. The presentation being made by James Brown of the cloth room at the mill run till 10 o'clock but yesterday through the kindness of Agent Rawlinson, the employees were told they would not work and accordingly they all gathered at the home of their overseer. After the presentation, Mr. Curran responded in a fitting manner and a pleasant evening was spent. A musical program was given and a light luncheon was served. Those responsible for the affair were Mrs. Robert Smith, Miss Anna Reynolds and Miss Ella Barton.

## NOT TAKING ANY RISKS

"We all know," says William H. Crane, the popular actor, "how suspicious human nature is. Sometimes, when a person is particularly so, it is very amusing."

"I have an intimate friend who is a prominent dentist in a western city, and one day when I was in his office a woman came in to have several teeth extracted."

"I suppose I ought to take something to deaden the pain," she said, hesitatingly, "but I'm afraid of gas."

"My friend immediately reassured her and at the last said:

"You will be only unconscious for two or three minutes at the longest."

"The woman took her pocketbook out and began to count her money."

"Never mind that now," said the dentist. "You do not have to pay until I've finished."

"I wasn't going to pay," explained the woman. "I was going to count my money."

—Lippincott's Magazine.

Your Chance to Go Up in the Northwest on a Cheap Ticket

Yes—You can go West now, or up in the Northwest, on a right cheap ticket, and you can travel mighty easy in a good warm "Chair-Car" with good lights, and big windows.

Ever see a chair-car? Well they are great! and the C. B. & Q. Railroad don't charge any extra to ride in them; what do you think of that?

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# The Triumph of Internal Bathing And the "J. B. L. Cascade"

We have thousands of letters like the following:

"After two years' trial of your 'Cascade' I am pleased to endorse your outfit as a genuine good thing. If I had to make a choice of what to retain of all my worldly possessions, I should choose the 'Cascade.' You have certainly discovered the secret of how to get and to keep well. Yours truly,  
WM. A. ANDERSON.

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"Let me thank you for your kindness, but let me more than thank the 'Cascade' for what it has done for me. Would say that the 'Cascade' is a wonder, also that it has been of untold benefit to me, with the diet you advised me to use. I have not kept account of my weight lately, but I know I am gaining in weight since I have used the 'Cascade' and the stomach trouble has entirely disappeared now. Wishing you all success and thanking you for all your kindnesses. Yours truly,

MRS. RUTH H. BLACKNER.  
"South Hadley Falls, Mass."

Mrs. Sarah J. Culver of Stratford, Conn., writes, under date of Dec. 10, 1913:

"I am ashamed that I have kept you wondering how I was getting along with the 'J. B. L. Cascade.' It has been of great benefit to me, and I would not be without it for anything. It is all I claim it to be. My doctor told me that he could not cure me, but would help me if I would do as he asked me to do. That was simply impossible, as I was obliged to do my own work and some for other people often. I was under treatment for spinal trouble before consulting you. Thomas Francis, D. O., was my doctor. He told me nothing was wrong with me; I needed it, it would not do me any good. I was helped very much under this treatment, but was far from being well when I saw your advertisement. I thank God that I read it and that I had a friend to help me out. I always use the antiseptic, and I thank you a thousand times for your kindness. I can eat most anything. My friends all say that I look and act so much better. I tell them what did it. I am wishing you a very merry Christmas and a happy New Year. May God bless you and make you still a greater blessing than you have been. Yours very sincerely,"

31 Stores in New England—94 Stores in United States—119-123 Merck St.

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## RIKER-JAYNES DRUG STORE

## SAVES ELDERLY PEOPLE FROM KIDNEY AND BLADDER MISERIES

### Sleep Disturbing Bladder Weaknesses, Backache, Stiff Joints, Rheumatic Pains Disappear After Few Doses are Taken

While people along in years are naturally more subject to weak kidneys, they can avoid the tortures of backache, and rheumatism, and be saved the annoyance of getting up at night with disagreeable bladder disorders, for the new discovery, Croxone, quickly relieves the most severe and obstinate cases.

Croxone cures these conditions because it removes the cause. It is the most wonderful remedy ever devised for ridding the system of uric acid. It is entirely different from all other remedies. It is not like anything else ever used for the purpose. Croxone makes the kidneys filter the blood and sift out all the poisonous acids and waste matter that cause these troubles.

It soaks right in and cleans out the stopped-up, inactive kidneys like water does a sponge, dissolves, and drives out every particle of uric acid and

other poisonous impurities that lodge in the joints and muscles that cause rheumatism. It neutralizes the uric acid so it no longer irritates the bladder, overcomes unnecessary breaking of sleep and restores the kidneys and bladder to health and strength.

It matters not how long you have suffered, how old you are, or what else you have used. The very principle of Croxone is such that it is practically impossible to take it into the human system without results. There is nothing else on earth like it. It starts to work the minute you take it and relieves you the first time you use it, and all your misery and suffering soon disappear. You can secure original packages of Croxone at trifling cost from any first-class druggist. All druggists are authorized to personally return the purchase price if it fails in a single case.

# FREE

## 1000 Boxes Chocolates

On Saturday, Feb. 28, we will present FREE a Box of Chocolates to each purchaser of a pound of Tea at 23c, or a pound of Coffee at 24c, or other goods to the value of 25c or over.

## Direct Importing Co.

147 CENTRAL ST. UP ONE FLIGHT  
Bradley Building, Opp. Tailor's  
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## CHILDREN OR COTTON?

### HOW THE LITTLE ONES WORK IN THE SOUTHERN COTTON FIELDS FROM SUNRISE TILL SUNDOWN

"Cotton is a curse to Texas children," remarked the superintendent of one of the Texas schools to Lewis W. Hine, special investigator for the national child labor committee. And why is it a curse? This question is the theme of an article by Mr. Hine on "Children of Cotton," in the "Survey" of February 7th.

"Come out with me at sun-up," says Mr. Hine, "and watch the children trooping into the fields, some of them kiddies four or five years old, to begin the pick-pick-pick, drop into the bag, step forward; pick-pick, drop into the bag, step forward, six days in the week, five months in the year, under a relentless sun. The mere sight of their monotonous repetition will tire you out long before they stop. Their working day follows the sun, and not until sundown will they leave the fields. Ruby, aged seven, stopped working long enough to say, as I stood by her, 'I works from sun-up to sun-down, an' picks thirty-five pounds a day.' Imagine the number of feathery bolts that must go into the bag hanging about her neck to tip the scale at thirty-five pounds!

"The result of a few years of this incessant grind, long hours, physical strain, lack of proper food and care, and lack of mental stimulus? What can it be but physical degeneration and moral atrophy? We have long asailed (and justly) the cotton industry as the Herod of the hills. The sunshine in the cotton fields has blinded some eyes to the fact that the cotton picker suffers quite as much as the mill hand from the monotony, overwork, and hopelessness of his life. It is high time for us to face the truth and add to our indictment of knee cotton a new charge—the Herod of the fields."

"One of the most pitiful things about the situation is the indifferent acceptance of conditions by people generally. I heard very little about the cotton except from school teachers. Ruby's father, who said, 'They git five months' schoolin' and it ain't 'nuff,' good out among all the parents I interviewed as a rare exception. It is quite possible that the Texas farmers are not so indifferent to the exploitation of their children as appears, for they are literally 'up against it.' They are transient renters, weighed down by debt, illiterate, and dependent upon the crop."

"But I place first and foremost in any program of change the restriction of child labor. Children must be left free to go to school. At a recent conference of the Texas state board of charities and corrections, all agreed that compulsory education is the greatest need of Texas today. Patriotism demands that we save the children from the cotton fields, the foundation for the summer of tomorrow, a longer period of childhood, with better preparation for work and better training for life."

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## A MINIATURE COLONY

### A Feature at Birley House School, an Open-Air School in England—Described in U. S. Bulletin

Making the school grounds a miniature colony, with the pupils busily engaged in all kinds of productive occupations is the device of the Birley House school, an open-air school in England, as described in a bulletin just issued by the United States Bureau of Education.

Various minerals—coal, iron ore, copper ore, lead ore, and gold quartz—are buried in different parts of the school garden, and the children go out "prospecting" for them. The finders become captains of industry. To work the mines the captains of industry engage laborers at the labor exchange, which is managed by one of the pupils. Boring is then proceeded with, shafts are sunk, winding apparatus is constructed, and the mineral is brought to the surface.

Here arises the need of coal, and a system of transportation in the form of a miniature railway is organized. Furnaces are set up, factories are planned, the possible markets for the product are considered, and the importance of a merchant marine is recognized.

In close connection with the industrial side of the colonization scheme the agricultural plan is developed. A portion of the garden is cleared, a miniature farm of six fields is prepared, and the different methods of fencing are applied to these fields. The ground is plowed and crops are sown

in rotation—wheat, potatoes, barley, oats, clover and cabbage. A thatched log hut is built and furnished to serve as a homestead for the farmers, and the necessary outbuildings—barn, stable, wagon shed, pigsty, poultry house, and dog kennel—are built about it.

All the school work is done in close relation to the community activities. Practice in woodwork and carpentry is obtained by making a rabbit warren, an aviary, insect cases, garden frames, cases for weather instruments, etc. The use of "padding" clay and the mixing of concrete and cement are illustrated by constructing a pond, drain pipes, and other mason work. There is practical arithmetic in the measurement of lengths and distances, in estimating costs and quantities, in finding heights by means of simple instruments, in making records of rainfall, barometer, thermometer, sun-fall, barometer, and in other calculations required in garden and manual work.

## North, South, East, West

men and women are subject to the numerous ailments caused by defective or irregular action of the organs of digestion and elimination. Headaches, lazy feelings, depression of spirits are first consequences, and then worse sickness follows if the trouble is not removed. But thousands have discovered that

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are the most reliable corrective, and the best preventive of these common ailments. Better digestion, more restful sleep, greater strength, brighter spirits, clearer complexions are given to those who use occasionally this time-tested home remedy. Beecham's Pills will no doubt help you—it is to your interest to try them—for all over the world they

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## LOCAL NEWS

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Best dental work in city. Tel. 1344.

The Northfield club of this city held a banquet in the rooms of the Y. W. C. A. last evening and the affair was attended by over 50 members and friends. The hall was prettily decorated for the occasion, the Northfield colors being prevalent. After the dinner there was speaking by several of the members and a pleasing entertainment was furnished.

A class social was held in the vestry of the Palace Street church last night by the men's class of the church and the attendance numbered nearly 50. The speaker of the evening was W. W. Main of Boston, secretary of the Massachusetts Sunday School association, who dwelt interestingly on "How to Reach the Young Man Who Reads Christian Love." A musical program was rendered and a luncheon was served.

## 5000 POSTMASTERSHIPS

EXAMINATIONS TO FILLOFFICES IN RHODE ISLAND, MASS., ILLINOIS, INDIANA, OHIO, AND PA.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Examinations to fill more than 5000 fourth class postmasterhips, made necessary by an executive order placing all such offices under civil service regulations will be held in April according to announcement today by the civil service commission. The offices to be filled are in Rhode Island, Idaho, Massachusetts, Illinois, Indiana, Oklahoma and Pennsylvania.

## KEITH'S

Lowell's Leading Theatre  
ALL THIS WEEK  
The Critics Say  
The Best Show of the Season  
For the Girls From 17 to 70  
MRS. GENE HUGHES & CO.  
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The name attention paid to your welfare in the way of cleanliness and attentiveness as if you paid \$2 for a seat.

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By Mr. Benj. L. Whippley of Boston  
SAT., FEB. 28, at 3 P. M.  
At First Baptist Church  
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The public is cordially invited to attend.

TONIGHT  
Crescent Rink  
HERD STREET  
Ten Mile Championship Race  
NEBES vs. GENDRON  
Admission to Gallery 10 CENTS  
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THEATRE VOYONS  
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PERILS OF THE SEA  
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THE KASINO  
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Last Three Days of the Week  
Afternoon and Evening

## FIRE IN DRUG STORE

## BROKE FAMILIES FROM THEIR BEDS THIS MORNING ON ADJOINT STREET

Several persons were driven from their homes shortly before 2 o'clock this morning when a fire broke out in the drug store of J. H. O'Neill at the corner of Lawrence and Waverley streets. The upper part of the building is occupied by two families and the members were awakened by men who were passing by and discovered the fire. The loss of the contents of the drug store will be heavy while the rest part of the building was also badly damaged.

The origin of the fire is not known but it is believed that it started from spontaneous combustion. When the blaze was discovered the rear part of the store was a mass of flames and a alarm from box 215 was sounded. After about half an hour of earnest work the firemen succeeded in getting control of the blaze and the damage was confined to the rear part of the store. The building is owned by G. Kauffman.

## ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL

## TRUSTEES APPEARED BEFORE CITY COUNCIL TO PLEAD FOR AD-EQUATE PAY FOR CITY CASES

The trustees of St. John's hospital were heard by the municipal council yesterday afternoon in favor of some arrangement under which the hospital shall be paid for the emergency work it does for the city so that it may avoid getting into debt. The city pays \$7 per week for its cases while in other hospitals the usual pay is \$10. At present rates the hospital falls behind \$2500 per annum. Those who appeared were James C. Phillips, Esq., Dr. Francis T. Mahony, Daniel F. Carroll and John A. McKenney. They stated positively that they did not make for any gratuity test for a fair remuneration for treatment which the city has no means of providing in any hospital under its control.

## STATE HOUSE HEARING

## STATE HOUSE HEARING ARRANGED ON MERRIMACK RIVER PROJECT FOR MONDAY

At the joint conference of the waterway committees of the boards of trade of cities along the Merrimack valley held yesterday in the rooms of the Lawrence chamber of commerce, the following committee was appointed to arrange a meeting with the legislators of Middlesex and Essex counties at the state house, next Monday forenoon at 10 o'clock, in an effort to get the favor of the entire legislative delegations. Lovell, Jesse D. Crook, Charles H. McIntire, James J. McLaughlin and Robert F. Mahony, Haverhill, L. K. Morse, Daniel C. Casey, Lowell, and J. R. Dally, Lawrence, were named. J. C. Collins, Jr., of Amesbury, and J. E. Jones, of Lawrence and Secretary John H. Murphy will also serve on the committee.

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# Americans to View Benton's Body

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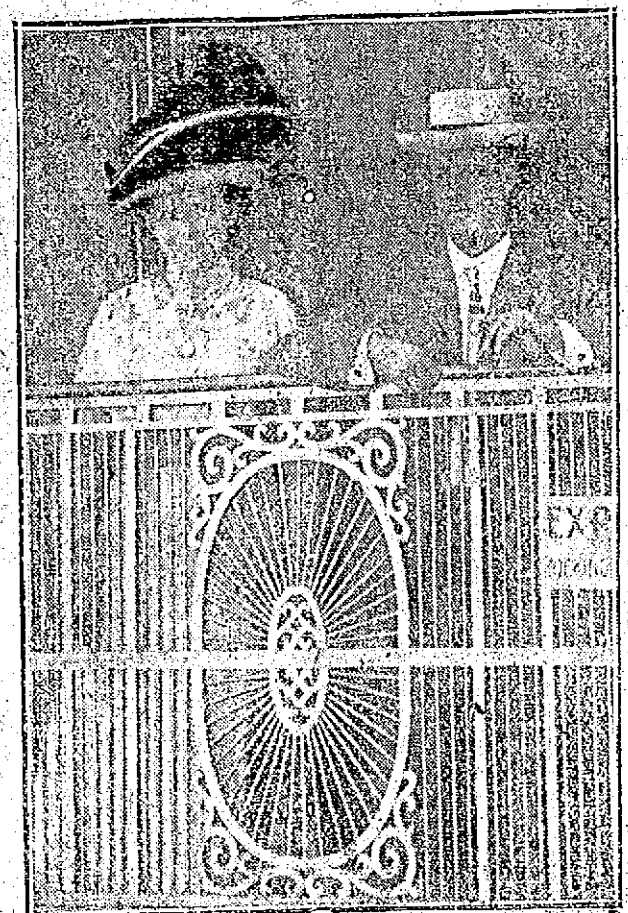
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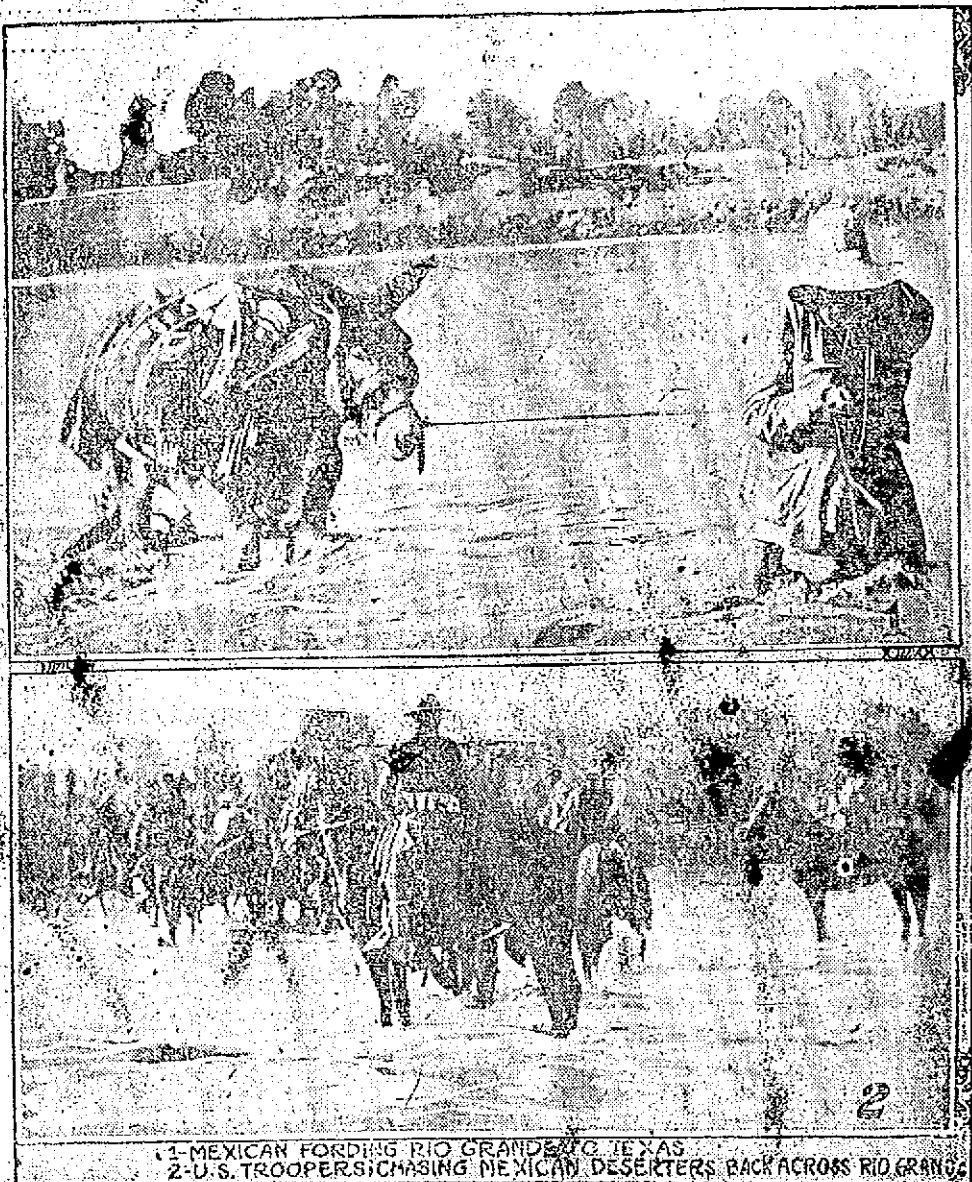
MRS. NETTIE M. SAUNDERS AND THE LATE FRANK LAZELLE

## Mrs. Nettie M. Saunders Wants to Have Coffin of Frank Lazelle Opened to Ascertain Cause of His Death

Mrs. Nettie M. Saunders of 68 Gates street, this city, who was the fiancée of the late Frank Lazelle, a former fireman in the sewer department, who died at the McLean hospital in Wakefield, yesterday afternoon in Lawrence, fears that deceased met with a violent death at the hands of some of the attendants and, accordingly, through her lawyer, Hon. James B. O'Donnell, she is trying to secure the power of attorney to open the coffin and to have the cause of death investigated.

According to the death certificate and the hospital authorities, Lazelle died of scarlet fever, but Mrs. Saunders believes he was the victim of violence. To a Star reporter today Mrs. Saunders said her fears are substantiated by the fact that Lazelle wanted to get away from the institution and that during a fit of violence he is said to have struck one of the attendants with a chair.

Lazelle lived with his mother at 400 Walker street, this city. In the early winter he suffered a nervous breakdown and for a time he was attended by Mrs. Saunders, but later it was de-



1-MEXICAN FORDING RIO GRANDE, TEXAS  
2-U.S. TROOPERS CHASING MEXICAN DESERTERS BACK ACROSS RIO GRANDE

## Mexican Government Says Lifting of Embargo on Arms Places Rebels in Favorable Situation for Committing Outrages—The Body of William S. Benton at Chihuahua

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Consul Letcher telegraphed Secretary of State Bryan today that Villa would permit two Americans, two British representatives and two members of the family of William S. Benton to view the body of the dead ranchman.

It is assumed that the body is at Chihuahua City.

Consul Letcher also reported that Villa would permit two physicians to accompany the American and British representatives and members of the Benton family and that he would furnish transportation and accommodations for all of them.

Secretary Bryan said just before entering the cabinet meeting that Consul Letcher's dispatches also confirmed previous information that Benton's body was in Chihuahua City. He said arrangements would be made soon for the visit of the commission to Chihuahua to view the corpse, intimating that the disposition of the body would be settled after the medical examination.

HUERTA GOVERNMENT WANTS U. S. TO CONSIDER RECENT RAISING OF EMBARGO ON ARMS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—After a long lapse in the diplomatic exchanges between Washington and the city of Mexico, an attempt has been made to reopen the correspondence by the submission of an appeal by the Huerta government for the reconsideration by the United States of the recent raising of the embargo on arms to Mexico.

The feature of the Mexican statement said to have been issued at Mexico City last night is the allegation that a state of anarchy now exists in so much of Mexico as is occupied by the rebel forces and it is also charged that the immediate effect of the decree permitting the exportation of arms has been to place the rebels in a favorable situation for committing outrages while preventing the Huerta government from repressing them as quickly and as energetically as it desires.

On the other hand, it is set out that wherever the Huerta government is in power, full protection has been given to nationals and foreigners.

It is not expected that the state department will return any formal answer to this last communication.

Charge Alketa at the Mexican embassy was notified yesterday that the Huerta government had delivered such a communication to American representatives and diplomatic representatives of other powers in Mexico City. He did not receive a copy of it.

FRIENDS OF AMERICAN WHO WAS HANGED IN MEXICO AROUSED

LAREDO, Texas, Feb. 27.—Friends of Clemente Vergara, the American who was hanged recently by Mexican officials, were aroused today by the report made by American Consul

The municipal council tackled the departmental estimates again this morning and it is sincerely hoped on all sides that some agreement will be arrived at today in order that the appropriation may be arranged tomorrow in public meeting.

The meeting this forenoon was behind closed doors as have been all of the meetings having to do with the appropriations, but today's session aroused a little more than ordinary interest, or curiosity, because of the fact that the assessors were called in and every little while loud voices were heard even though the doors were closed and locked.

Election of Officers

After the council has finished with the estimates of yearly budget the members will turn their attention to the election of officers, but so far as can be gleaned at city hall there will be no such clean sweep made as was talked about at the beginning of the year.

Dr. Brunelle's term has expired as member of the board of health but it is in the wind that the doctor will be re-elected. It was stated today by one in a pretty fair position to know that three members of the council had signified their intention to vote for the doctor, on the ground that he had given faithful service and that he should be continued in office if he desires to stay.

The only other officers heard mentioned are those of the superintendent of streets and charity superintendent. It is said that Mr. Mowbray insists upon the removal of Mr. Pittman and

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## MAN HELPLESS IN SNOW

## George F. Hall of Lowell Fell Ex- hausted Between Wakefield and Lynn

A man who gave his name and address as George F. Hall, of 156 Daily street, this city, was found yesterday lying helpless in a pile of snow on the road between Wakefield and Lynn, where he had dropped in an exhausted condition while attempting to walk to Lynn to secure a position in one of the shoe factories there. He was taken in an electric car and brought to the police station at Wakefield, where he was given a good supper and later put on a Lowell-bound car.

The story told by the man is one of the most pitiful that has been brought to the attention of the Wakefield police for many years. After receiving medical attendance, the man said he had, but recently been discharged from the state hospital at Lewksbury, where he had been treated for a serious illness. He also said that he had a wife and two children in this city who were waiting for him to return with money and food.

The man was first discovered lying in a field by two women who were waiting just outside of Wakefield for a car early yesterday afternoon. They being afraid to approach him, waited for the car to arrive and then told the car crew, who picked the man up in a semi-conscious condition and brought him to Wakefield square where he was taken into the Wakefield town building. A doctor was called and after bringing him out of his semi-insensibility, said he suffered from the cold and lack of food and he ordered a good hot meal.

The unfortunate man, who was about 22 years of age, said that he was a painter by trade, but when that work was slack he worked in shoe shops. He said he left Lowell Wednesday afternoon to walk to Lynn, where he hoped to get work. He spent the cold part of Wednesday night in a street railway waiting room along the country road near Wilmington, nearly freezing to death. At the time he reached Wakefield, yesterday afternoon, he had not eaten anything since Wednesday night and but very little sleep.

The street railway men and members of the police department started a collection and raised about \$4.60, enough to send him back to this city and buy food for his family when he arrived here. The doctor who attended him said that if he had remained in the snow two hours longer he would have died of exposure and the effects of heart trouble, while he could not

## MURDER TRIAL

## Mrs. Cynthia Buffum May Know Her Fate Before Tonight

LITTLE VALLEY, N. Y., Feb. 27.—Mrs. Cynthia Buffum, on trial for the murder of her husband, may know her fate before night. Her attorney, Patrick S. Collins, began his summing up when court opened today. He will be followed by Special Prosecutor Cole, who stated today that he will not exceed two hours in presenting the state's side of the case. Justice Brown's charge is expected to be brief and the case will reach the jury late this afternoon.

Attorney Collins in his summing up held that the confession that was offered as evidence was wrong from a woman hounded by private detectives and made at a time when her mind was disorganized by drink. He argued that no actual or circumstantial proof that the woman had planned the death of her husband and had administered poison had been submitted while William Buffum had repeatedly over a term of years abused his wife and frequently threatened to kill himself and his whole family.

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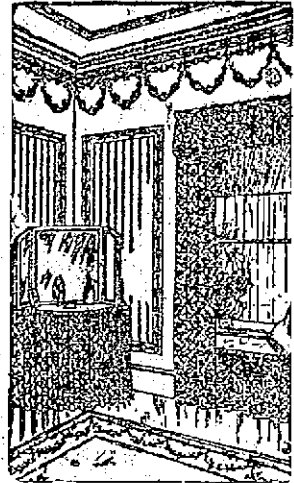
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## MR. J. C. MAHONEY DEAD SHOE MEN'S CONVENTION

Former Resident of Collinsville  
Died Suddenly at Maynard,  
Mass., of Heart Disease

The many friends of Jeremiah C. Mahoney, who for a number of years conducted a barber shop in Lakewood avenue, Collinsville, will be grieved to learn of his sudden death which occurred last night at Maynard, Mass., where he had removed with his family shortly after his home in Collinsville was totally destroyed by fire a few months ago.

Mr. Mahoney was employed as a barber by his brother, Cornelius, who conducts a shop in Maynard. Yesterday he worked until 5.50 o'clock and reached the home of his cousin, where he was stopping with his wife and daughter, in Brown street at about 9 o'clock. Upon entering the house he dropped to the floor and when the members of the family rushed to his side he was dead, the cause of death being heart trouble.

## FARMERS' INSTITUTE HELD

Prof. O. A. Morton Discussed  
"New Movements in Education"  
to Billerica Farmers Today

The third meeting of the Middlesex North Agricultural society was held today in the Billerica town hall with a large attendance of members from nearly every city and town throughout northern Middlesex county. The program was one of the most interesting ever given and much credit is due the committee in charge for the excellent entertainment afforded all who attended.

At 10.30 o'clock the meeting was called to order, and Prof. Orlan A. Morton of Amherst college was introduced as the principal speaker. Professor Morton took for his subject "New Movements in Education" and he spoke at some length on the value of education along scientific lines to the agricultural man. His talk was very interesting as well as instructive, and at the conclusion he was asked many questions as to his opinion about subjects that were brought up by those in attendance.

Considerable business of a routine nature was also transacted at the forenoon session, and then all journeyed to the banquet hall where a bountiful dinner was served by the ladies of the Billerica grange. After dinner there was speaking by several of the members and some interesting topics were discussed.

At the afternoon session there was prize speaking by pupils of the primary and grammar schools in the surrounding towns. These who took part were Gladys Holden and Elizabeth Wright, Billerica; Elsie Olsson and Ruth Garland, Tewksbury; John Callahan and Lesley Colburn, Dracut; Mildred Brock and Alice Goulton, Barker avenue school; Ralph Boyd and Marguerite Elliott, Chelmsford. The prizes were: First, \$5; second, \$3; third, \$1.

Big Gathering to be Held in Boston in  
July—The Market for Hides Shifting  
—Gossip of the Shoe Shops

July 5 to 15, 1914, should be a big week in Boston, in fact the biggest week the shoe and leather trade has ever seen, for the seventh annual shoe and leather fair will be held in Mechanics building at that time. During the same week the International Shoe and Leather week, organized by the New England Shoe and Leather association, and a score of affiliated associations will be observed in Boston. The Boston chamber of commerce has taken an active interest in this trade week and plans are under way to bring the greatest number of shoe and leather men to Boston that ever visited the city before. It is said that the Lynn chamber of commerce is also interested and that a special Lynn day will be observed during the week. On July 11 there will be a Canadian day and a Great Britain day.

According to statistics there has been a very large decrease noted in cattle hides during the past few seasons and it is causing no little wonderment on the part of all who have anything to do with the business just what the outcome will be. The following article regarding this subject appeared in a recent issue of the Shoe and Leather Weekly and will undoubtedly interest our readers:

There is a popular but to some extent fallacious impression that cattle hides are in plentiful supply in South America and especially in the Argentine Republic. There are about 25,000,000 head of cattle in the Argentine against 55,000,000 head in the United States. It is only because of the small population of the South American countries in proportion to their cattle supply that they have a surplus for export.

Last year we failed to receive anything like our normal share of the hides shipped from South American ports. This is accounted for by the larger purchases of hides for European countries. When hides were put on the free list in 1909 the surplus of raw material in the countries south of us came to this country and the farmers of Europe refused to pay the high prices demanded. Last year the tables were turned in this regard and our importations decreased in an alarming degree.

The table gives the imports into the United States for 11 months ending November, 1913. From the Argentine Republic we received 37,707,774 pounds of hides against 38,579,765 pounds for the same 11 months of 1912. Here is a decrease of 871,991 pounds, or 2.2 per cent.

From Uruguay we received 3,159,519 pounds against 3,234,058 pounds during the 11 months of 1912. This was a decrease of 74,539 pounds, or 2.3 per cent.

From Colombia during the 11 months of last year we received 429,482 pounds against 5,081,128 pounds for the same 11 months of 1912. Here is a decrease of 4,651,646 pounds, or 92 per cent.

From Venezuela we received 1,570,565 pounds against 4,572,005 pounds in the 1912 period. Here was a decrease of 3,001,440 pounds, or 63.4 per cent.

From Mexico we received 55,142,225 pounds against 27,565,775 pounds in the 1912 period. Here was a decrease of 27,576,450 pounds or 5 per cent.

Imports of hides from Europe decreased slightly. From Germany we received 3,320,345 pounds against 3,054,220 pounds in the 11 months of 1912. Here was a decrease of 266,125 pounds, or 8.7 per cent.

From the United Kingdom we received 6,330,007 pounds against 5,227,114 pounds for the period of 1912, a decrease of 1,102,893 pounds, or 21 per cent.

of superintendent of the James Mull Co. of Massenneuve, Que. Mr. Hohen, while still a young man, has held some very responsible positions in the shoe factory. Some few years ago he was superintendent of the Lowell Shoe Co. of this city, which was located in the plant in Stackpole street, now occupied by the Barry Shoe Co. and he left that position to enter the employ of one of the largest tanning concerns in Canada, with headquarters in Ontario. The factory which Mr. Hohen is now managing is one of the most up to date in Canada. It is equipped so that 3000 pairs of shoes can be turned out daily.

Louis Mercier of this city has taken charge of the sole leather department of the Slater Shoe Co. of Montreal, Que. Mr. Mercier is a practical sole leather man and will make a valuable addition to the executive staff of this concern.

WILL NOT GO TO JAIL  
COUNCILMAN JAMES A. WATSON ON  
BOSTON STATES HE WILL NOT  
VISIT CHARLES STREET JAIL

BOSTON, Feb. 27.—Intimating that he fears trouble if he should visit the Charles street jail unaccompanied because of his heated controversy with Sheriff John Quinn, Councilman James A. Watson replied yesterday to the sheriff's intimation that Watson would not be allowed to visit the jail alone by declaring that he has more sense than to go to the jail alone.

"Replying to Sheriff Quinn's intimation that I will not be allowed to visit the jail alone, I wish to say I have the right to visit the jail alone if I wish, but, as a sensible man, I will not," Councilman Watson declared. "Let Mr. Quinn guess what I mean."

The friction between Councilman Watson and Sheriff Quinn has reached a fever heat, more especially since Wednesday's meeting of the city council, when Watson secured the adoption of an order providing for an investigation of the institution by the city council committee on prisons, of which Watson is a member.

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 27.—Governor Walsh and four members of his staff were guests last night at a dinner of the Springfield Fish and Game association at the Highland hotel. Other guests were Dr. George W. Field, chairman, and George H. Graham of the State Fish and Game commission and several senators.

the Highland hotel. The reception committee consisted of E. A. Woodward, Dr. E. A. Gates, Charles R. Culver, James P. Hatch, Dr. W. A. Maguire, Charles S. Ballard, A. E. Snow, J. Douglas, Law. D. C. Kenney and Henry L. Bowles.

Samuel D. Sherwood, president of the organization, presided at a business meeting when 40 members were admitted.

James S. Whipple, a former forest fish and game commissioner of New York, spoke on the conservation of forest, fish and game.

Governor Walsh said in part: "The fish and game associations of the commonwealth constitute a great instrument in bringing about the conservation of the state's natural resources. All the ponds of Massachusetts were leased by individuals 25 years ago, but a wonderful change has taken place. There are 800 great ponds in the commonwealth containing fish. All the ponds should be kept restocked by the state, so as to afford a place for the workingman and his family to fish when they have a day of leisure."

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## LEAGUE MEETS TUESDAY

Pres. Murnane to Take in Banquet  
at Fitchburg—Dope on Lewis-  
ton and Fred Lake's Outfit

The New England league will hold its regular meeting next Tuesday afternoon in Boston when the report of the schedule will be heard and acted upon. Although the schedule has not been made public, or rather the list of games and dates which have been drawn up by the committee, it is thought that the season will open later this year. Last spring the first few

games were played in cold weather, weather so cold as to render the players and spectators numb after an hour spent at the park. The games with Portland, which started the season here, were very poorly attended owing to the rigid atmosphere. Do you remember the auto parade before the opener? Everybody huddled up to the car? Well, the league directors will probably also remember these things and a shift to May weather for the first

game will doubtless be the result. Last year's duplicate of the meeting which will be held next Tuesday did not amount to very much if you remember. At that time Haverhill was still in the circuit and the schedule which was at first drawn up had to be changed over when the shift came to Fall River. It is quite probable that the schedule committee's report will not be accepted as a garment but the majority of the recommendations made by this group will undoubtedly go through.

## Lake and Murnane

Frederick the Great, of Fitchburg baseball prominence at present, will take the grand old president of the "Little Old League" down to his adopted baseball home next Wednesday where the pair will be entertained by the board of trade of Fitchburg. Here's a tip to the fans of Lowell—if you want to catch a glimpse of Tim Murnane use your influence with the board of trade and tender him a banquet. That would bring him, we think, but it would take some such inducement to force him to the baseball park of the team which has twice won the pennant, since 1911.

Lowell's Magnus Duff is Mike McDonough and Joe Burns are two busy individuals these days and

so also is Secretary Tim Leonard. Hugh Duffy is not the only one who is looking over the ball tossers of the Maine colleges for the Lewiston magnates are looking up whatever material looks good to them among the collegians. The Lewiston fans are greatly disappointed at the inability of the club to procure Fred Parent as manager. Freddie is a great favorite with the Maine fans as he holds from that state and played there before jumping into the big show.

A Lewiston scribe writes that the owners of that franchise made Parent an offer which exceeded the contract he now holds from the Baltimore club. It hardly sounds logical, neighbor. The reason ascribed to Parent's non-appearance as manager was that Manager Dunn of the Orioles wanted too much for Parent. There's nothing like having a faithful press agent for your ball club!

## Outlook at Fitchburg and Lewiston

If Hugh Duffy and his actions at Portland last season are criterions, and we think they are, of the manner in which the clubs at Fitchburg and Lewiston will open this year then you can lay a wager that neither of these clubs will be in the running. Both cities are new in the baseball fold, that is, neither burg has been represented by a club for a long time.

The old saying that it helps a city, we are speaking now, in a baseball sense, to shift its franchise every few years, is generally accepted as true by men expert in the handling of baseball clubs. Duffy, gambling on the fact that the Portland fans were baseball crazy and would troop out to his park to watch any kind of a club perform, placed a mediocre bunch on his diamond.

We have all got to hand it to Duffy, however, for with his not even average New England league club he made matters not during the latter part of the season. Of course, Hugh would have liked to have won the flag, make no mistake about that, but he was determined not to spend money to accomplish this feat.

The idea was simply that the Portland public wanted to see baseball games and would pay to see them regardless of the fact that the management would not spend money to provide the greatest paying city in the league with a team worthy of its patronage. It is said that Duffy had several players on his roster who were receiving the munificent salary of \$75 per month.

## Lewiston and Fitchburg

Now whether the Lewiston and Fitchburg owners will also attempt these tactics, of course, we cannot tell at this point but we sincerely hope it will not be the case. Lake was never known to spend any MORE than he had to for players but the New England league has gone under a vast change since his days within its fold and he cannot go along now and make any showing in the way that was once his wont. We cannot, therefore, however, of Lake's putting anything very formidable in the way of a pennant contender upon the Fitchburg diamond but hope to be disappointed in this prediction.

As for the Lewiston club, that also is more or less of an unknown proposition. If Lewiston placed a team in the field that will not stand the gaff against the other clubs it will hurt the league standings immeasurably. And besides they may not find a Hugh Duffy or Fred Lake to handle the club and in a case of this kind they would be left behind if the personnel of the Lewiston team were just as good as that of either Portland or Fitchburg. Duffy and Lake, with their major league experience, can do wonders with a club of rookies where another club would hardly win a game. Here's hoping that Fitchburg and Lewiston will present teams this coming season that will give the leader a scare at every brush.

## BOTH TEAMS WON

Y. M. C. A. Aggregations  
Were Winners at Basketball Last Night

The Pirates of the Y. M. C. A. won their basketball contest from the regular Lawrence association five last night at the local gymnasium. The employed boys defeated the local basketball shooters into camp in the second contest of the evening. Neither game was close enough to annoy the local athletes. Davis and Wilson for the Pirates, and Greenwood for the Lawrence Boys featured. The summaries:

PIRATES: Davis if, Hubert if, Newcomb if, Curly if, Sweeney, Kerosch if.

LAWRENCE: rg. Watson if, Ducharme if, Moorehouse if, Wilson if.

Score: Lowell 44, Lawrence 27. Goals from the floor: Davis 3, Wilson 2, Newcomb 5, Hubert 3, Moorehouse 2, Ducharme, Pollock and Curly. Goals on fouls: Watson 4, Newcomb 1, Wilson.

LOWELL: Greenwood if, Doole if, Mochrie, Willis if, Angus, Edwards if, Mitchell if.

Score: Lowell 45, Methuen 12. Goals from the floor: Greenwood 12, Mochrie 4, Angus 4, Gaudroger 3, Mitchell, Edwards, Doole, Taylor. Goals on fouls: Gaudroger 2, Doole, Greenwood, Referee, Wicke. Score: Lamont, Timmer, Day.

## ZBYSZKO IS THE WINNER

BOSTON, Feb. 27.—A wrestling title changed hands last night at Mechanics building when Stanislaus Zbyszko, the Pole, defeated Alexander Aker, Finnish champion, two falls in a mat battle that lasted nearly two hours.

The defeat was a bitter pill for the Finn, for he had held the title as Greco-Roman king for 12 years. Furious at his downfall, he never had regained his feet after being put to the mat for the second and winning fall that he rushed on Zbyszko in blind rage and he hurled the Pole into the ropes.

The men battled desperately for a few moments, till the crowd with nerves stretched to the breaking point by the encounter it had already witnessed, hoed, hissed and howled. A rush of police to the ring side finally ended the fray and Aker was induced to leave the mat, his rage, however, but slightly abated.

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## MILITARY TEAMS

Standing of Teams in Armory Tournament—Co. G Leads

The standing of the four company teams in the Armory tournament has been computed to date and stands as follows:

GENERAL STANDING

Company	Won	Lost	P.C.
Company G	79	17	82.3
Company K	65	31	67.7
Company M	31	62	33.4
Company C	14	82	14.6

BOWLING

Company	Won	Lost	P.C.
Company G	33	9	71.3
Company K	21	11	65.6
Company M	14	18	43.3
Company C	6	25	18.8

BASKETBALL

Company	Won	Lost	P.C.
Company G	32	9	100.0
Company K	20	12	62.5
Company M	8	24	25.0
Company C	4	28	12.5

SHOOTING

Company	Won	Lost	P.C.
Company G	24	3	75.6
Company K	24	8	75.0
Company M	12	20	37.5
Company C	4	28	12.5

## DE PALMA WINS

Takes Vanderbilt Cup Race for Second Time—Oldfield Second

SANTA MONICA, Cal., Feb. 27.—Ralph de Palma, who won the Vanderbilt cup race in Milwaukee in 1912, duplicated that performance by winning the Vanderbilt cup race of 1914 over the Santa Monica course yesterday with a Mercedes.

He beat Barney Oldfield in a Mercer in a narrow margin after a desperate and hard battle over more than 100 miles, which but a few seconds separated the two drivers.

De Palma's time was 3:53.41 for the 241.35 miles, or an average of 75.6 miles an hour, nearly three miles less than the course record.

Oldfield was second, Garrison, in a Mason, third, and Cooper, in a Stutz, fourth.

## CALVARY BAPTIST

Wins Game in Baraca League and Sets Up High Team Total

The Calvary Baptist five took another game in the Baraca league last night when they vanquished the Highland M. E. rollers by the score of 1439 to 1402. The match was one of the best played that the league has seen this season. Myrick's figures were the best.

In the Y. M. C. I. league the Pirates went down to defeat before the accurate rolling of the Red Sox in a war of six pins. The bowling of Brennan for the winners was the feature of the contest.

The only match scheduled for last night in the Y. M. C. A. league was between the Wampanoag and the Irquois and resulted in a win by the latter team without difficulty. Greenwood's total was the highest.

The Bruins and the Tremont and Suffolk bowlers put up one of the closest contests that the Manufacturers' league has witnessed, only three pins separating the rivals at the conclusion of the roll-off. Each team took one string, the last being a tie. The Tremont and Suffolk men nosed out a victory on the second string. The scores:

Varsen League  
Highland M. E.—Harrison, 291; Marshall, 271; Abbott, 295; Holden, 259; Harriman, 276; total 1402.

Calvary Baptist—Myrick, 322; Davis, 273; Kennedy, 269; Perrin, 277; Moody, 295; total, 1439.

Y. M. C. I. League  
Red Sox—Leonard, 261; McCaffrey, 234; Rosen, 267; Curtin, 269; Brennan, 270; total, 1301.

Farmington—Welch, 234; Gilks, 264; Mulligan, 335; Harrington, 232; Stowell, 250; total, 1205.

Y. M. C. A. League  
Irquois—Grant, 268; Wrenn, 275; Greenwood, 273; Daw, 241; Kiltredge, 240; total, 1301.

Wampanoag—Stokes, 261; Kelley, 263; Dunne, 225; Jordan, 261; Buzzei, 232; total, 1234.

Manufacturers' League  
T. & S.—C. Farrell, 267; J. Manning, 255; A. Jodoin, 269; Whalen, 270; McDermott, 267; total, 1313.

U. S. Bunting—Smith, 261; Lynch, 244; Riley, 273; Buckley, 261; Lane, 273; total, 1315.



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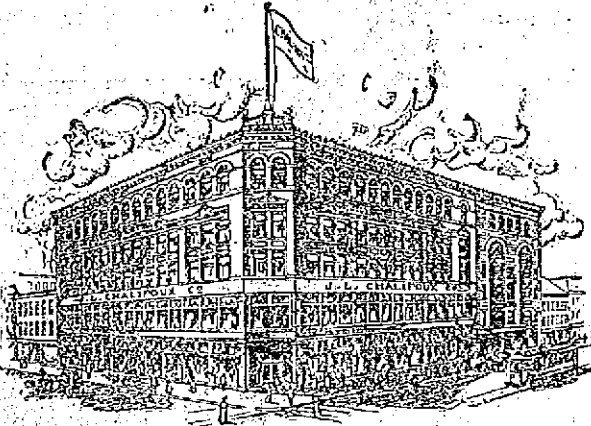
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Men's \$1.25 Low Overshoes, at ..... 50c  
First quality Candee rubbers, worn lined, fine Jersey cloth top, all sizes from 5 to 11.  
Boys' and Girls' \$1.25 and \$1.50 Shoes, at 50c  
School shoes in all sizes, medium and heavy weights, in button, blucher and lace style.  
Men's \$2.50 Rubber Boots, at ..... \$1.98  
Dull finish knee boots, wool lined.  
Men's \$3.50 Rubber Boots, at ..... \$2.75  
Hood or Woonsocket quality, heavy weight.  
Ladies' \$2.00 and \$2.50 Shoes, at ..... \$1.50  
Button and blucher style in patent colt, gun metal and Russia calf, low and high heel.  
Ladies' and Misses' 400 Rubbers, at ..... 29c  
Low cut and storm in all sizes.

## Furnishing Department

Men's \$1.00 Negligee Shirts, at ..... 50c  
Men's negligees, in fine percale and soisette, handkerchief or soft French Cuffs, coat style, broken sizes and slightly soiled.  
Men's \$1.00 Working Shirts, at ..... 39c  
Men's working shirts in black sateen and drill, effort or madras, and blue chambray, collar attached, Congress make.  
Men's 50c Ties, at ..... 25c  
All our 50c four-in-hand ties, open or reversible, plain and fancy.  
All our \$2.00 Soft and Stiff Hats, in all leading makes and styles, at ..... \$2.15

## Men's Department

100 Men's Fancy Worsted and Cassimere Suits, in brown, gray and fine pencil stripe, sizes 34 to 40, also a few fancy blues that sold for \$12. Removal price ..... \$7.75  
75 Men's Hand Tailored \$15 Suits, a few sample suits mixed in, in all the newest patterns, 3 button sack, high cut vests, semi-pog pants. Removal price ..... \$9.75  
75 Boys' All Wool Norfolk Suits, in all wool chevrons, in gray and brown, also blue serge, sizes 8 to 16. Regular \$6 and \$7 value. Removal price ..... \$4.75  
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## Ladies' Department

50 dozen Voile, Lawn and Batiste Waists. Value \$1.45, \$1.98, \$2.98. Removal price ..... 89c  
Clean Up of Veilings in all colors. Value 25c and 50c. Removal price ..... 12 1/2c  
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Ladies' and Misses' Coats, all sizes, in mixtures and plain colors. Value \$10 and \$12. Removal price ..... \$2.89  
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10c to 25c Handkerchiefs. Removal sale ..... 6 1/2c  
Ladies' plain and fancy handkerchiefs, slightly soiled.  
10c to 25c Fancy Buttons. Removal sale ..... 6 1/2c  
Fancy buttons—Pearl, steel, brass, glass and oriental stones, all sizes, must go at once.  
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Ladies' white cotton drawers, hamburger ruffle, all sizes.  
30c Skirts. Removal sale ..... 21c  
Ladies' silk kimonos, white cotton, hamburger ruffle.  
10c Gowns. Removal sale ..... 24c  
Children's flannellette night gowns, all sizes.  
15c Drawers. Removal sale ..... 4 for 25c  
Children's cotton drawers, soiled on counter, all sizes.  
\$3.00 and \$4.00 Kimonos. Removal sale ..... \$1.59  
Ladies' silk kimonos, made of Jap silk, fancy style, white, pink, blue; oriental designs.

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# MAYOR STEALS SCHOOL

## Newburyport Executive Moves Tools, Etc., From Trade School to the City Hall

NEWBURYPORT, Feb. 27.—The Prince Place Manual Training school was stolen yesterday. The author of the unique burglary is Mayor William H. Landford, who took his surprising means of enforcing his decision that the teaching of manual training in the public schools here is to stop March 1.

The school board, which has thought otherwise will seek a writ from the supreme court to make the mayor put the school back.

The act of the mayor in stealing a school, and stealing a march on his opponents on the board at the same time, has sent a wave of hot controversy, mingled with considerable merriment, through the citizens here.

The school consisted of tools, benches and machinery installed in an old factory building, and when the mayor decided on his stroke, he simply had a dray backed up to the door yesterday morning, sent a bunch of husky furniture movers to work and cleaned the place out.

The school was captured by Mayor Landford before the very eyes of Instructor W. F. Woodbury, whose friends protested against the proceedings, failed to move the solid "plane smashers," hired accomplices in the novel raid.

A few days ago the mayor tried to visit the school, and was, it is said, refused admission by Instructor Woodbury. Now the school is safely tucked away in the city hall basement, under the mayor's office, and the teacher has

four bare walls for consolation. Where 244 pupils could be accommodated, there is not enough apparatus left to teach one.

Mayor Landford formally notified the owners of the factory building on Prince place that the school would be removed from there by March 1. The school board sent a counter-notification that such would not be the case, but they reckoned without counting on the mayor's resources.

At 7:30 yesterday morning the latter's forces appeared before the place, headed by Mayor Landford and his clerk, former Alderman Edward Bass.

The mayor superintended the removal of the first drayload and then went back to his routine duties. Though the city hall is only a little way from the school, it kept the draymen hustling up to noon to get the school all stolen.

About the middle of the morning Instructor Woodbury appeared. He asked Clerk Bass what he was doing. Bass told him he was acting under the mayor's orders and waved to the movers to go ahead with the job.

The hurried teacher hastened to Superintendent of Schools Edgar L. Willard, and he called up Lawrence R. Hodges, vice-chairman of the school board, in Boston.

The vice-chairman, better known as Larry Dodge, the old Harvard track team captain, and one of the fastest sprinters that ever ran for an American college, is just as capable of quick action as the mayor.

Life took immediate measures to take the question of whose school it is, anyway, into the supreme court. When marshalling the forces of the school board, he started gathering evidence to show that whether the children of the city shall learn to handle a plane and saw or not rests with the school board and not with the mayor. The board held a lively meeting last night, and expressed opinions of the head of the city quite freely.

Mayor Landford, interviewed last night, chuckled and said he was simply "sitting tight on the school," and waiting for the board to make the next move. He said he had decided to stop the teaching of manual training, and that he had succeeded, as far as he could see.

The trouble between the mayor and the board had been brewing since the first of the year, but its climax was entirely unexpected.

Mayor Landford, who is serving his second term, wished to abolish manual training in connection with his proposal of training municipal expenses wherever possible. He declared it was of little practical use. The board begged to differ, having always considered the Prince Place school one of its notable educational achievements.

## KIDNEY AND BLADDER TROUBLE CAUSES GREAT DISTRESS

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## TWO MIDNIGHT FIRES

### OCCUPANTS OF TENEMENT HOUSES AWAKENED BY MERRIMACK AND MOODY STREET FIRES

A fire which originated in a closet near a hot water boiler in a tenement at 209-211 Moody street about 11:30 o'clock last night gave the fire department a needless run, for when the apparatus arrived the blaze had been extinguished by the members of the family.

The fire was discovered by a little girl who was awakened by the smoke. She immediately aroused her parents, who with pails of water succeeded in checking the blaze. The house is owned by Frank Paquette, who occupied the lower tenement. The upper tenement where the fire started was occupied by the family of Louis Bibeault.

Fire on Merrimack Street  
Rats and matches are believed to have caused the fire in a brick apartment building at 159 Merrimack street at 11:45 o'clock last night. The blaze started on a shelf over the cellar stairs and one of the occupants, who, smelling smoke investigated and found a black blaze in progress. The fire department was summoned and the fire was quickly put out. The building is owned by Omar Desha. Frank Al-Began carried the insurance on the building.

OVERSEER JOHN CURRAN SURPRISED AT HIS HOME AND PRESENTED TOKENS OF RESPECT

Overseer John Curran of the Tremont & Suffolk mill, and Mrs. Curran, were greatly surprised last night, when about 100 employees of the mill called at their home, 25-27 Hope street, and presented Mr. Curran a handsome watch chain and chain and gold ring, while Mrs. Curran was the recipient of a pretty dinner set. The presentation being made by James Brown of the cloth room.

Mr. Curran's department at the mill runs till 10 o'clock, but yesterday through the kindness of Agent Rawlinson, the employees (and they would not work and accordingly they all gathered at the home of their overseer. After the presentation Mr. Curran responded in a fitting manner and a pleasant evening was spent. A musical program was given and a light lunch was served. Those responsible for the work of the night shift were Mrs. Anna Reynolds and Miss Ella Burton.

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"We all know," says William H. Cramer, the popular actor, "how easily human nature is deceived. Sometimes, when a person is particularly so, it is very amusing."

"I have an intimate friend who is a prominent dentist in a western city, and one day when I was in his office a woman came in to have several teeth extracted."

"I suppose I ought to take something to deaden the pain," she said, hesitatingly, "but I'm afraid of gas."

"My friend immediately reassured her, and said that she need not be afraid, for he would be only unconscious for two or three minutes at the longest."

"The woman took her pocketbook out and began to count her money."

"Never mind that now," said the dentist. "You do not have to pay until I've finished."

"I wasn't going to pay," explained the woman. "I was going to count my money."

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What's the use staying at home when you can travel so cheap and see so much?

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We have thousands of letters like the following:

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WM. A. ANDERSON,  
"Rockland, Mass."

"Let me thank you for your kindness, but let me more than thank the 'Cascade' for what it has done for me. Would say that the 'Cascade' is a wonder, also that it has been of untold benefit to me, with the diet you advised me to use. I have not kept account of my weight lately, but I know I am gaining in weight since I have used the 'Cascade' and the stomach trouble has entirely disappeared now. Wishing you all success and thanking you for all your kindness. Yours truly,  
MRS. RUTH H. BLACKMER,  
"South Hadley Falls, Mass."

Mrs. Sarah J. Culver of Stratford, Conn., writes, under date of Dec. 10, 1913:

"I am ashamed that I have kept you wondering how I was getting along with the 'J. B. L. Cascade.' It has been of great benefit to me, and I would not be without it for anything. It is all you claim it to be. My doctor told me that he could not cure me, but would help me if I would do as he asked me to do. That was simply impossible, as I was obliged to do my own work and some for other people often. I was under treatment for spinal trouble before consulting you. Thomas Francis, D. O., was my doctor. He told me medicine was not what I needed; it would not do me any good. I was helped very much under this treatment, but was far from being well when I saw your advertisement. I thank God that I sent for it, and that I had a friend to help me out. I always use of aniseptic, and I thank you a thousand times for your kindness. I can eat most anything. My friends all say that I look and act so much better. I tell them what you said. I am wishing you a very merry Christmas and a happy New Year. May God bless you and make you still a greater blessing than you have been. Yours very sincerely,"

Men and women from every walk of life are using and endorsing this wonderful treatment. During the past four years the practice of Internal Bathing has increased more than 500 per cent.

And it would be hard indeed to account for this, were it not known that everyone who tries it is only too ready to tell his experience to his neighbor.

You see, its purpose is to remove, in a perfectly natural way, every atom of accumulated waste in the lower intestine (or colon) and thus make Constipation and all the serious ills that follow it impossible from that source.

Our habits of living today demand that we help Nature rid us of this waste, because it will accumulate, is extremely poisonous, and these poisons, getting into the blood through the circulation, weaken us physically and mentally, make us dull and weak, and fit subjects for any disease that is most prevalent.

If you are subject to Constipation, you know this, because you have had the experience.

But when you are entirely rid of the waste (and this Internal Bath washes it away most thoroughly), you will be astounded at the change next day—you will feel bright, clear of mind, ambitious and without a tinge of "that tired feeling"—that's the reason its users are most enthusiastic in recommending it. They know how they feel afterward.

The most effective and natural method of taking this Internal Bath is undoubtedly by the use of the "J. B. L. Cascade," an invention of Dr. Charles A. Tyrrell of New York, who is a specialist on Internal Bathing, and has made this his life study and work.

Dr. Tyrrell has written a very interesting little book on this subject, called "Why Man of Today Is Only 50% Efficient." You can obtain one of these free upon request at the Riker-Jaynes store which is nearest you, where the "J. B. L. Cascade" will also be shown and explained if you so desire.

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While people along in years are naturally more subject to weak kidneys, they can avoid the tortures of backache, and rheumatism, and be saved the annoyance of getting up at night with disagreeable bladder disorders, for the new discovery, Croxone, quickly relieves the most severe and obstinate cases.

Croxone cures these conditions because it removes the cause. It is the most wonderful remedy ever devised for ridding the system of uric acid. It is entirely different from all other remedies. It is not like anything else ever used for this purpose. Croxone makes the kidneys filter the blood and sift out all the poisonous acids and waste matter that cause these troubles.

It soaks right in and cleans out the stopped-up, inflamed kidneys like water does a sponge, dissolves, and drives out every particle of uric acid and

other poisonous impurities that lodge in the joints and muscles that cause rheumatism. It neutralizes the urine so it no longer irritates the bladder, overcomes unnecessary breaking of sleep and restores the kidneys and bladder to health and strength.

It matters not how long you have suffered, how old you are, or what else you have used. The very principle of Croxone is such that it is practically impossible to take it into the human system without results. There is nothing else on earth like it. It starts to work the minute you take it, and relieves you the first time you use it, and all your misery and suffering soon disappear. You can secure an original package of Croxone at trifling cost from any first-class druggist. All druggists are authorized to personally return the purchase price if it fails in a single case.

# FREE 1000 Boxes Chocolates

On Saturday, Feb. 28, we will present FREE a Box of Chocolates to each purchaser of a pound of Tea at 23c, or a pound of Coffee at 24c, or other goods to the value of 25c or over.

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## CHILDREN OR COTTON?

### HOW THE LITTLE ONES WORK IN THE SOUTHERN COTTON FIELDS FROM SUNRISE TILL SUNDOWN

"Cotton is a curse to Texas children," remarked the superintendent of one of the Texas schools to Lewis W. Hine, special investigator for the national child labor committee. And why is it a curse? This question is the theme of an article by Mr. Hine on "Children or Cotton," in the "Survey" of February 7th.

"Come out with me at sunrise," says Mr. Hine, "and watch the children trooping into the fields. Some of them kiddies four or five years old, to begin the pick-pick-pick, creep into the bag, step forward, pick-pick, drop into the bag, step forward, six days in the week, five months in the year, under a relentless sun. The mere sight of their monotonous repetition will tire you out long before they stop. Their working day follows the sun, and not until sundown will they leave the fields. Ruby, aged seven, stopped working long enough to say, as I stood by her, 'I works from sun-up to sun-down, and I picks thirty-five pounds a day.' Imagine the number of feather-balls that must go into the bag hanging about her neck to tip the scale at thirty-five pounds!

"The result of a few years of this incessant grind, long hours, physical strain, lack of proper food and care, and lack of mental stimulation? What can it be but physical degeneration and moral atrophy? We have long assailed (and justly) the cotton industry as the Herod of the mills. The sunshine in the cotton fields has blinded our eyes to the fact that the cotton picker suffers quite as much as the mill hand from the monotonous, overwork, and hopelessness of his life. Yet it is high time for us to face the truth and add to our indictment of king cotton a new charge—the Herod of the fields."

"One of the most pitiful things about the situation is the indifferent acceptance of conditions by people generally. I heard very little anxious comment except from school teachers. Ruby's father, who said, 'They git five months' schooling and it ain't 'nutt,' stood out among all the parents I interviewed as a rare exception. It is quite possible that the Texas farmers are not so indifferent to the exploitation of their children as appears, for they are literally up against it. They are transient renters, weighed down by debt, illiterate, and dependent upon the crops."

"But I place first and foremost in any program of change the restriction of child labor. Children must be left free to go to school. It is an inviolable principle of the Texas state board of charities and corrections, all were agreed that compulsory education is the greatest need of Texas today. Patriotism demands that we save the children. We must begin at once—lay the foundation for the farmer of tomorrow by a longer period of childhood today, with better preparation for work and training for life."

If you want him at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## A MINIATURE COLONY

A feature at Birley House School, an Open-Air School in England—Described in U. S. Bulletin

Making the school grounds a miniature colony, with the pupils busily engaged in all kinds of productive occupations, is the device of the Birley House school, an open-air school in England, as described in a bulletin just issued by the United States Bureau of Education.

Various minerals—coal, iron ore, copper ore, lead ore, and gold quartz—are buried in different parts of the school grounds, and the children go out "prospecting" for them. The finders become captains of industry. To work the mines the captains of industry engage laborers at the labor exchange, which is managed by one of the pupils. Boring is then proceeded with, shafts are sunk, winding apparatus is constructed, and the mineral is brought to the surface.

Here arises the need of coal, and a system of transportation in the form of a miniature railway is organized. Funded are set up, factories are planned, the possible markets for the product are considered, and the importance of a merchant marine is recognized.

In close connection with the industrial side of the colonization scheme the agricultural plan is developed. A portion of the garden is cleared, a miniature farm of six fields is prepared, and the different methods of farming are applied to these fields. The ground is plowed and crops are sown

in relation—wheat, potato, barley, oats, clover and cabbage, thatched log hut, built and furnished to serve as a homestead for the farmers, and the necessary outbuildings—barn, stable, wagon shed, pigsty, poultry house, and dog kennel—are built around it.

All the school work is done in close relation to the community activities. Practice in woodwork and carpentry is obtained by making a rabbit warren, an aviary, insect cases, garden frames, cases for weather instruments, etc. The use of "pudding" clay and the mixing of concrete and cement are illustrated by constructing a pond, drain pipes, and other mason work. There is practical arithmetic in the measurement of lengths and distances, in estimating costs and quantities, in finding heights by means of simple instruments, in making records of rainfall, barometer, thermometer, sunshine, etc., and in other calculations required in garden and manual work.

## North, South, East, West

men and women are subject to the numerous ailments caused by defective or irregular action of the organs of digestion and elimination. Headaches, lazy feelings, depression of spirits are first consequences, and then worse sickness follows if the trouble is not removed. But thousands have discovered that

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# Athletes and Athletics

Well, what do you know about Tommy Daly? Many of us said when we saw him the first of last season that he was due for the big show, but we never had any idea that he would cause a crowned head to callous his palms over a four base walkoff. (U.S. A.) when we will hear from Tommy, this season in the American League.

The total roster of the Federals will be made known tomorrow. As President Gilmore, 116, says that the outlaws have already played 170 players the majority of whom are from the big leagues. Imagine the anxiety that many of the managers and owners of major league clubs are feeling today.

If Joe Tinker succeeds in landing Hugh Bradley for the Chicago Cubs his outfit will look stronger on paper than any of the other outlaw clubs. Dick will undoubtedly be pushed into the outfield with Zellweger and Wickland and this trio should prove a hard combination for the sluggers to beat.

The high school relay is in its shape for their struggle with Lawrence at the B. A. A. games tomorrow afternoon and nothing but a fall can give the down-river quartet a chance, says Captain Bowers. Judging by the relative speed shown by the two relay outfits in their dual games Lowell should romp home a winner without much difficulty.

The other day I ran into Hartel, the former Penn athlete, in Worcester and the ex-cyber proved very optimistic over the prospects of his alma mater on the track this season. Of course the first thing that he had to give expression to was a eulogy on the late Mike Murphy. Penn track athletes all over the country feel the loss of the veteran trainer almost as much as those of his immediate family.

Johnny Glover was beaten last night at Lawrence by Joe Bean in 12 rounds of fast ring work. Glover was in no shape for his battle last night as he engaged in a hard mill Tuesday. Although Bean was returned an easy winner small credit is due him for the victory for he beat a man who barely was able to hold his hands during the 12 sessions.

Phinney Boyle, the local boxer, will try conclusions with Tommy Murray of Lynn at the Lawrence club next week.

The two will meet over the ten round bout and Boyle will be the underdog. He is a big, powerful fellow and has a good deal of speed. Boyle has been a good deal of success in the past and is expected to be a big draw.

It looks as though One Round Hogan was about due for the pick and shovel brigade. His defeat in Marietta, R. I., the other night was a big disappointment to the fans for Hogan went to the floor three times in the fifth session at the hands of Jimmy Fasano of New York. While Fasano is a good enough performer he is no world beater nor ever will be and the manner in which he disposed of the California heavyweight showed plainly that Hogan was all in.

President Gilmore of the outlaws is busier than the proverbial bee these days. From all accounts the various club managers are leaving the majority of the details to their president and expect him to perform. Gilmore is now doing his level best to get the Brooklyn grounds in readiness for occupancy by the latter part of April. He'll have to if he expects to complete successfully with the Giants.

Joe Briggs, well known to New England long time, has once more signed up with New London. Briggs hit close to the 300 mark last season. Joe, however, continued his wayward career and carelessly punched a fellow player. For this breach of etiquette he was minus a uniform for some time and swore never to touch himself to an Eastern association contract. Joe spent part of last season, after his suspension, with the Twin State league, but later returned to New London. He was formerly with Lawrence.

The signed contract of Burke, the running mate of Catcher Waycock, was received at baseball headquarters yesterday and caused a satisfied smile to spread over the countenance of Jimmy Gray. Waycock's signature is already on the files, but it was feared that perhaps Burke might be to the Federals. The two ex-Witchita players will start Lowell off with a push. They are two of the highest paid players in the New England league, but Manager Gray says that they will be worth every penny that their contracts call for.

# J. L. CHAMBERLAIN BURIED

## Was Former Governor of Maine, Former President of Bowdoin College and Major General of the Civil War—Funeral Today

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 26.—Draped in the flag, the Stars and Stripes, of which he helped to preserve undivided, the casket containing the body of Joshua L. Chamberlain, former governor of Maine, former president of Bowdoin college, and a major-general of the Civil war, was borne from City Hall shortly before noon today on its way to its final resting place in the cemetery of the quiet, old college town of Brunswick, which for so many years had been his home.

Four companies of the state militia guarded the honored remains of the hero of Little Round Bay and behind them marched the old comrades in arms of the dead leader, the members of the military order of the Grand Army Legion and all of the Grand Army posts of this city.

Although a military funeral and attended by the governor of the state and a great body of Maine's most distinguished citizens, the services for

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### DIAMOND NOTES

Pittsburg fans are awaiting with interest the decision of Jack Paddy Ryan as to where he will play the coming season. There is a possibility that Ryan, who is a Pittsburg boy, may be seen with Fred Lake's New England team. Ryan has returned from New York and has already been in communication with Fred Lake in regard to a berth on the team.

It will not be Ryan's first New England league experience if he lands on the Pittsburg nine for he went to Lawrence last year and to the surprise of the fans fell down. Then Ryan went to the Twin State league and came back to his own, being one of the fastest men in uniform.

The New York Americans have signed Merrill D. White, a young catcher, whose home is in Pittsburg, N. Y., is a chemist and was graduated last year from Western university. He caught for his college team for three years and hit up a fair batting average. His 1913 record was .305, .310 and .326. Al Blaser, pitcher for the Cleveland Federals last year, was White's teammate at college.

Outfielder Joseph A. Briggs has signed up to play with the New London club in the Eastern association this coming season. He is the second outfielder to sign.

Briggs is the former Lawrence player and he and Dutch Ulrich were sold to New London a year ago. Briggs escaped the Federal league bill, was reported to the Los Angeles club of the Pacific Coast league. Page has been wintering and hitting up a fair batting average. The west recently stated that Page was slipping and that if he did not get a move on he would have had trouble holding his job with Los Angeles. Page played with Lynn and Worcester as well as with Lawrence in the New England league.—Lawrence Tribune.

ing an opponents a team composed of several professional stars from different sections of the state. The majority of the players, however, will be drawn from local and nearby teams. Several well known Portland semi-pros who are anxious for a tryout with Dady Ryan will get an opportunity to play on this aggregation so that they can show their ability to the Portland owner.

It was originally intended to play a double header with the Bowdoin college team on April 25, which will be considered as Patriots day since the 19th falls on Sunday.

Catcher Arthur Lavigne, who has blossomed out into the best backdrop of the New England league after an unsatisfactory season with New Haven a few years ago, is about ready to cast his fortunes with the Federals. Tom Fleming, who managed the Holliston team in the old Connecticut league for many years, several seasons ago is the Federal agent who has been looking things over with Lavigne. The catcher says the offer of the Federals looks good to him and that he thinks he will like the chance. The Memphis team of the Southern league is the club that holds title to the services of Lavigne under the rules of organized ball.—Exchange.

Although Lavigne is a very good catcher, friend, we wouldn't call him the best exponent of the New England league last season. Besides Tommy Daly, he of course you must have forgotten, were a youngster called Thomas who can peg with Lavigne both out and in and out him and just watch this youngster, Thomas, grow this year.

### PARCEL POST PROFITS

SENATOR CLARK OF WYOMING DECLARED THAT THE PROFIT WILL VANISH INTO AIR

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—An amendment to require railroads to furnish parcel post facilities to the government at a rate as advantageous as that given express companies was presented to the senate yesterday by Sen. Owen when the postoffice appropriation bill was under debate. Democratic members of the senate committee said the proposal was acceptable to them. It will come up for vote probably today, when the entire appropriation bill may be disposed of in the senate.

Senator Bristow concluded his attack yesterday on the action of the postmaster-general in abolishing the 50-mile zone and extending the old 50-mile rate to a 150-mile zone.

Senator Clark of Wyoming declared that the profit claimed by the postmaster in the last year would vanish into thin air when the new contracts for mail and star route carriers were relet.

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# CHAO PING CHUN DEAD

ASSASSINATION BY POISON IS BELIEVED TO HAVE CAUSED DEATH OF MILITARY GOVERNOR

TIENTSIN, China, Feb. 27.—Assassination by poison is believed to have brought about the death here today of General Chao Ping Chun, military governor of the province of Chi Li and former premier under President Yuan Shi Kai.

The Chinese statesman was ill only a few hours. He was stricken late yesterday and died this morning.

General Chao Ping Chun was a native of the Nan and was one of the president's staunchest supporters.

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# TEFTS COLLEGE PROFESSOR

Was Granted a Divorce in Reno on Ground of Desertion—Married in 1912

RENO, Nev., Feb. 27.—Prof. Carl N. Svenson, head of the department of mechanical drawing at Tufts college, was yesterday granted a divorce from Ethel D. Svenson, on the ground of desertion. The plaintiff declared that he was deserted two months after their marriage.

Mrs. Svenson was formerly Miss Ethel D. Backus of New York. They were married in 1912, on June 28. In his declaration the plaintiff declared that his wife left him without cause and in 1913 she married another man. The time the bill was brought, Mrs. Svenson's father said that the trouble was due to "too much mothering" by her father. He said that his daughter had been a dutiful wife to the professor in every way.

# CHILDREN'S HOME

The annual picnic party will be held at the home Tuesday, March 3. The house will be open all day to visitors and contributions of money, fuel or provisions will be gratefully received by Ellen O'Leary, patron.

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# CREW DESERTED

Terror Stricken at Sight of Ice, Took Refuge in Engine Room

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 27.—Terror-stricken at sight of snow and ice encountered by the German steamer, *Centaurus* of the New Foundland line, the crew of 55 sailors deserted their post, and for four days refused to leave the engine room. Assisted only by the mess boys and cooks the officers of the ship were obliged to do all the seamen's work as well as navigating the vessel on the voyage to this port.

The cold was so intense, according to the ship's officers, that waves frozen into ice blocks as soon as they broke over the rails of the ship. The steamer arrived here yesterday from Narvik, Sweden.

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# AFTER BAR-ROOM LOAFERS

## Police Have Two of Them in Court —Mixed Assault Case in Which Mr. Perkins is Fined

That the police of Lowell are going to make a cleanup of the men who hang around bar rooms during the major portion of their time was evidenced this morning when two cases of "idle and disorderly persons" were tried before Judge Enright. In both cases the defendants pleaded not guilty.

The bar room in question is in the downtown district and Officer Leighton, Lieut. Connors and Sergeant McGuire were the witnesses for the prosecution.

Fred McQuade, a man well along in years and who has lost his left arm, pleaded not guilty to the charge, as did also Frank Morrill. The three police officers testified that the defendant was habitually to be found in the bar or back room of a downtown town parlor. Altogether the three officers had seen McQuade in the place 21 times since the 1st day of the present month.

The defendant took the witness stand and informed the court that he lived in the house where the bar room is located. It was the only place in Lowell he said, where he was acquainted. Defendant said he peddled small articles for a livelihood but that the weather had been so severe for the past several weeks that he had not been able to go out for fear of injuring the stump of his left arm.

Judge Enright asked him why he did not stay in his room, and McQuade replied that there was no steam therein and that the bar room was nice and warm. He was found guilty and given a suspended sentence to the state farm.

The prosecution brought forward precisely the same evidence in the case of Morrill. The original warrant read "Timothy J. O'Brien," but the defendant rose in the dock and announced that Morrill and not O'Brien was his name. After a new warrant had been gotten out the trial went on.

Morrill admitted that he frequented the saloon in question but said that he did not loaf around the place. When Officer Leighton said that he found him there at almost every hour in the day, the defendant said that it might be so. He wore glasses this morning and told the court that he had a cancer.

When asked how he existed, defendant said he received money each week from an insurance company in Worcester. He has been operated on twice within the past month, he asserted, and was not very well. Not only that, but his physician ordered him to drink six or seven glasses of port daily and not to take them all at once. Therefore, he was in the bar room for the purpose of getting the same thing and getting it in small quantities. He was found guilty and given a suspended sentence to the state farm.

**Complicated Assault Case**  
Max Weiss was in again. Yes, Max claimed that Herbert C. Perkins hit himself and also his good friend, Reuben Cohen. We could give you the circumstances exactly as Max described them this morning but will do our best to reproduce the gist of what occurred.

Weiss, Cohen, and a friend named Snider were conversing suitably in Middlesex street Wednesday afternoon when the defendant came along with a sled loaded with milk bottles. The car tracks were bare and Perkins called to the three men, Snider and Cohen, who were in Snider's pug, with Weiss standing beside it, to pull up so that he could get by without going over the street some fifty feet and then stepped his horse and came back to where they were standing. After asking Weiss what he said to him, Perkins hung a K. O. on the jaw of Max and also buffeted Cohen in the mouth. Max allowed that the defendant hit him more than 12 times and told the court the exact place that the six blows landed. After counting up to the sixth blow, however, his memory failed him and he was forced to say that he did not know just where the remainder of Perkins' two-handed punches took effect.

The defendant told a straightforward story about the whole affair. The man did not respond, he said, when he asked them to draw up closer to the sidewalk in order to let him pass, and he drove by so that he might have brushed Weiss. The latter, said the witness, abused him roundly and kept repeating profane language as he passed by Middlesex street.

"What did you get out of your head and go back for and kick the attorney for the prosecution?" asked Judge Enright. "I don't know," said Perkins, "there were people passing by that knew me and I didn't want them to hear the language which Weiss was hurrying at me."

"What did you intend to do when you reached Weiss?" continued the lawyer.

"I intended to do just what I did," responded the defendant. "I stopped him, didn't I?"

The lawyer admitted that he did. Defendant said that he first pushed Weiss down and then when he got up he hit him once. Cohen, he said, grabbed the whip and started to encourage the fight and he was confronted by a healthy young man, the features of the aforementioned Cohen. This said the defendant, was all that transpired. Judge Enright found the defendant guilty upon both counts and fined him \$5 for the assault on Weiss and \$5 for the blow he struck Cohen.

**Stealing a Ride**  
A man who gave his name as Chas.

**DESTROY COMPETITION**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Charles P. Mathewson of New York, speaking before the senate committee on interstate commerce today for a committee for the chamber of commerce of the United States criticized portions of the proposed bills for amendments to the Sherman anti-trust act. The action prohibiting discrimination in price to injure a competitor, he said, was inadvisable for the reason that it would destroy competition.

street has been granted a permit for the completion of its synagogue. One floor of the synagogue has already been completed and the permit calls for the completion of the second floor and the building in of a gallery. Abraham Weiss, president of the society.

**Was Refused Permit**  
Rev. Fr. Rodriguez called at the office of the superintendent of buildings at city hall a few days ago to talk over a permit for the building of an independent Portuguese church. It seems that he has an option on a building or buildings numbered 114-120 Charles street and he thought of turning the lower portion of it into a chapel. He did not have anything very definite in mind, however, and he was told that he would have to prepare plans before a permit would be issued.

**Park Dept.**  
Supt. Kernan this morning appeared before the municipal council pleading for an adequate appropriation to meet the needs of his department. He was asked a number of questions and for a full hour he discussed the urgent needs of the department, where expenditures are imperative, if public safety and necessity are to be provided for.

**MEXICAN SITUATION.**  
Continued

Ham S. Benton, a British subject, was indirectly placed upon the United States late last night in a memorandum sent by the Mexican government to Washington. Copies of the document also were delivered to the foreign legations here. It was expressed in the memorandum that the United States would recognize the evil following the act permitting the importation of arms by the rebels and take steps to remedy it.

"The report by the government of the United States that the rebels in all the region, including the control far from attempting the establishment of any institutional that would characterize any governmental functions as giving palpable signs of anarchistic tendencies and of absolute lack of respect of all interests that moral and international justice imposes upon civilized peoples."

"On the other hand, the constituted government, not alone in dictating measures efficacious, so far as is possible, to bring about submission of the rebels and to re-establish social and constitutional institutions in territory now removed from its jurisdiction but in all towns where it is in power is giving full guarantee to the interests both of nationals and foreigners. From this point of view, it is believed that the government of the United States will not place in doubt the right that belongs to Mexico to expect its collaboration in a work which it is doing in the interests of civilization and likewise that it will fix its attention on the grave consequences that come from refusing the duties that prohibited until recently the exportation of arms."

**Do Not Respect Life**  
This government expects to comply with its duty to humanity and with the functions of a representative state that forms part of international society by soliciting by means of this note reflection by our neighboring country regarding the sad consequences the arming of rebels who do not respect life, honor, or property, has brought, and will continue to bring."

**PRESIDENT DENIES REPORTS OF SENDING MARINES TO MEXICO**  
—WOULD BE ACT OF WAR

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—President Wilson took the position yesterday that for the United States to send marines or armed forces of any kind into Mexico without the consent of the governing authorities there would be an act of war. He declared emphatically that permission to send such forces had never been sought of either General Huerta or General Carranza, and indicated clearly that he requested of that character would be made in the near future.

The president announced, too, that no change in the policy of the American government toward Mexico had been decided upon. The president had been asked particularly about reports that American troops might be sent across the border to recover the body of William S. Benton, the British subject recently executed at Juarez, and concerning published dispatches that the United States contemplated sending marines to Mexico City to guard the American embassy.

One press despatch saying General Huerta himself had stated yesterday that he had refused permission for the United States to send 2000 marines to Mexico City was shown to President Wilson, who said it was absolutely untrue that such a request had been made. He added that neither Charles O'Shaughnessy nor anyone else had been authorized to discuss with the Mexican government the landing of American marines in Mexico.

Administration officials expressed the opinion that General Huerta probably inspired the statement about American marines at this time merely for effect upon the Mexican people, whom he hoped to impress with his authority to the American government, as it is well known that permission to land American troops for legal purposes has been freely accorded by Huerta to other nations, including Great Britain and Germany.

The president explained to inquiries what the talk of sending marines to Mexico had never gone beyond the stages of mere discussion among administration officials. He said that when Great Britain and Germany sent marines to Mexico City to guard their legations, though the United States was apprised in advance of the step and offered no objections, there was a natural disposition here to determine whether the American government should take similar action. The information, he added, was that Mexico City was quiet and that there was no danger to foreigners and when Charles O'Shaughnessy and British Admiral Fletcher were asked for their opinions about a embassy guard both agreed that such a step was not necessary.

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**15 DOZEN MEN'S SCOTCH WOOL HALF HOSE**  
Ribbed, in gray, black and heather. This small lot only. All first quality, at one-half the regular price. Regular price 50c pair ..... 25c Pair

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Gray and ecru. All sizes 34 to 44. All first quality, to close this lot. Regular price \$1.00 each ..... 75c Each

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Dress Goods Remnants—Just received from the largest dress goods manufacturer, several cases of new Spring Dress Goods, 36 to 42 inches wide, India Twill Whipcord, broadened in all the new spring shades; 30c to 60c value. Divided in two prices, 25c and 39c Yard  
Cotton Blankets—One case of full size Cotton Blankets, white and gray, regular 89c value, at ..... 69c Pair  
Crib Blankets—200 Cotton Crib Blankets, white and colored borders. Only 12 1/2c Each

**Wool Blankets**—About 30 pairs of good full 11-4 size; white, pink and blue borders, single blankets, finished both ends. \$5.00 value, at ..... \$3.15 Pair

**Bed Comforters**—A close, a few dozen of large Bed Comforters, filled with fine white cotton batting; batiste and silkoline; light and medium colors. \$2.00 values, at \$1.39 Each

**READY-TO-WEAR SECTION**  
Special—39 dozen Ladies' White Skirts, made of fine material, with wide embroidered flounce. Regular \$1.00 value, at ..... 79c Each  
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## LOCAL NEWS

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The Northfield club of this city held a banquet in the rooms of the Y. W. C. A. last evening and the affair was attended by over 50 members and friends. The hall was prettily decorated for the occasion, the Northfield colors being prevalent. After the dinner there was speaking by several of the members and a pleasing entertainment was furnished.

A class social was held in the vestry of the Palace street church last night by the men's class of the church and the attendance numbered nearly 50. The speaker of the evening was A. W. Main of Boston, secretary of the Massachusetts Sunday School association, who dwelt interestingly on "How to Reach the Young Man Who Needs Christian Love." A musical program was rendered and a luncheon was served.

## 5000 POSTMASTERSHIPS

EXAMINATIONS TO FILL OFFICES IN RHODE ISLAND, MASS., ILLINOIS, INDIANA, OKLA. AND PA.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Examinations to fill more than 5000 fourth class postmasterships, made necessary by an executive order placing all such offices under civil service regulations will be held in April according to announcement today by the civil service commission. The offices to be filled are in Rhode Island, Idaho, Massachusetts, Illinois, Indiana, Oklahoma and Pennsylvania.

## KEITH'S

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ALL THIS WEEK

The Critics Say

The Best Show of the Season

For the Girls From 17 to 70

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At First Baptist Church

(Corner Church and George St.)

The public is cordially invited to attend.

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PERILS OF THE SEA

A Great Story of the Sea

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THE KASINO

Roller Skating

Last Three Days of the Week

Afternoon and Evening

## FIRE IN DRUG STORE

DROVE FAME THROUGH THEIR BEES THIS MORNING ON ABBOTT STREET

Several persons were driven from their homes shortly before 2 o'clock this morning when a fire broke out in the drug store of J. H. O'Neil at the corner of Lawrence and Wamsutter streets. The upper part of the building is occupied by two families and the members were awakened by men who were passing by and discovered the fire. The loss on the contents of the drug store will be heavy while the rear part of the building was also badly damaged.

The origin of the fire is not known but it is believed that it started from spontaneous combustion. When the blaze was discovered the rear part of the store was a mass of flames and an alarm from box 216 was sounded. After about half an hour of earnest work the flames succeeded in getting control of the blaze and the damage was confined to the rear part of the store. The building is owned by G. Kiangran.

## ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL

TRUSTEES APPEARED BEFORE CITY COUNCIL TO PLEAD FOR AD-EQUATE PAY FOR CITY CASES

The trustees of St. John's hospital were heard by the municipal council yesterday afternoon in favor of some arrangement under which the hospital shall be paid for the emergency work it does for the city so that it may not get into debt.

The city pays \$7 per week for its cases while in other hospitals the usual pay is \$10. At present rates the hospital falls behind \$2800 per annum. Those who appeared were James C. Zelle, Esq., Dr. Francis T. Mahony, Daniel F. Carroll and John A. McKinnon. They stated positively that they did not ask for any gratuity but for a fair remuneration for treatment which the city has no means of providing in any hospital under its control.

## STATE HOUSE HEARING

STATE HOUSE HEARING ARRANGED ON MERRIMACK RIVER PROJECT FOR MONDAY

At the joint conference of the waterway committees of the boards of trade of cities along the Merrimack valley held yesterday in the rooms of the Lawrence chamber of commerce, the following committee was appointed to arrange a meeting with the legislators of Middlesex and Essex counties at the state house next Monday forenoon at 10 o'clock, in an effort to get the favor of the entire legislative delegation: Lowell, Jesse D. Crook, Charles H. McIntyre, James J. McManis and Robert E. Marden; Haverhill, L. K. Morse, Daniel N. Conner, Louis Hoyer and P. H. Duffy; Lawrence, Judge F. R. Chandler, R. J. MacIntyre, James S. Conlin and J. J. James. At St. Sutherland and Lawrence and Secretary John H. Murphy will also serve on the committee.

## Lowell Opera House

The Home of the Famous Players

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A Drama Dealing With "Cable Sam"

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February 27

At 7.30 o'clock Sharp, by

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All Boy Scouts, Y. M. C. A. boys, as well as other boys and adults welcome.

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Three Performances

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TODAY'S FEATURE

'Masked Mystery'

SEE THE MIRROR SCREEN

In three acts, also 'THE MURAL GALLERY' in her fourth adventure.

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## SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Supreme Vice Regent C. Edgar Sealing of Stockbridge, Supreme Representative A. G. Walsh and Grand Warden E. R. Jones were among the speakers at the regular meeting of Highland council, 570, Royal Arcanum, held last night in Highland hall on Branch street. A smoke talk and entertainment followed. It was reported that plans were being completed for the union meeting and class initiation to be held in Lincoln hall, March 13.

## Lowell Caledonian Club

The following recently elected officers of the Lowell Caledonian club were installed at a meeting held last evening in G. A. R. hall:

Chief, Andrew Livingston; first chief, John C. Crawford; past chief, Charles Kirkpatrick; treasurer, James S. Hastings; financial secretary, William H. Mitchell; assistant financial secretary, Mrs. J. C. Crawford; chaplain, Rev. J. M. Crandall; conductor, W. H. Mitchell; assistant conductor, Mrs. McLaughlin; guard, Walter Boyd; pianist, Mrs. Boyd.

## Lowell Commandery, K. of M.

Dr. Charles C. Furdum of Pawtucket, R. I., past commander of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, will visit Lowell commandery next Tuesday evening for the purpose of presenting the commandery the beautiful stand of banners which it won during Dr. Furdum's term of office. The banners will be accepted on behalf of the Lowell commandery by the retiring commander, Elmer D. Robinson.

## James A. Garfield Post

James A. Garfield Post, 129, G. A. R. has appointed the following members to serve on the Memorial day committee:

S. V. J. J. Boies, J. V. George W. Hunt, Quartermaster, B. R. Dyer and Contrades J. Denio and William Dickey. The above committee will join with Posts 42 and 146, G. A. R., to arrange for the observance of Memorial day, May 30, 1914.

## Ladd &amp; Whitney Circle

Ursula C. Hutchins, president of Circle 5, presided at its regular meeting in Post 153 hall with a good attendance. A beautiful supper was served before the meeting. The next supper committee is Annie M. Stone, Ursula C. Hutchins. Several sisters were reported on the sick list. A committee was appointed to act and report on Memorial day work, and on March 11, the afternoon of the next meeting, the members and friends will meet in their hall at 2 p. m. for the purpose of playing whist. An invitation was received from President Hutchins to meet at her house, 66 Cambridge street, at 2 p. m., Thursday, March 5. A social and whist will be enjoyed.

## ITALY WILL SIGN TREATY

ROME, Feb. 27.—The Italian foreign office today notified Thomas Nelson Pease, the American ambassador, that Italy was favorable in principle to the signature of a new arbitration treaty similar to that concluded between the United States and Belgium as proposed by Secretary of State Bryan.

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Used daily keeps the skin flexible and smooth.

Try it for any skin irritation on infant or adult. Delicately perfumed and contains no grease. Sold by A. G. Pollard Co., P. & S. Valley Co., and the maker.

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TO WITHDRAW TRAINS

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Feb. 27.—An announcement was made today at the offices of the Pennsylvania R. Co. that even local passenger trains were to be withdrawn from service March 1. The limited trains between Philadelphia and Chicago also are to be taken off.

WOMAN WON AT RACQUETS

LONDON, Feb. 27.—Lady Judith Lytton, woman racquet champion of Great Britain, defeated Daniel Nathan, third star player of the Philadelphia Racquet club in straight sets here yesterday. The score was 6-1. It was the first time a woman had ever played on the courts of the Racquet club.

RED CROSS CAR ELLIOTT ABSENT

Dr. Davis Lectured to Conference Continues

Large Gathering on

Maple Street

Dr. W. T. Davis, who is in charge of the Red Cross special which is stationed in the yard of the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad on Maple street, will give his last lecture in this city at 7.45 o'clock tonight and he called attention to the fact that in first aid work are invited to be present. Yesterday Dr. Davis addressed a large number of local men at 2 o'clock, and at last evening's lecture the big car was filled to its capacity.



# Villa Bows to U.S. Demands

## TANGO DANCERS WILL FACE GRAVE CHARGES

Superintendent of Police Files His Bill of Particulars—Refers to Indecent Attitudes and Postures of the Tangoists

In compliance with the order of Judge Wright that a bill of particulars be drawn up and presented to lawyers, Joseph O'Connor and Geo. A. Alford, attorneys for Frank Hennessey and Angelina Marcotte who are charged with assuming indecent postures and attitudes while engaging in a dance at Lincoln hall on Thursday, Feb. 19, Supt. Welch today presented the two lawyers with the requested bill. Following is the bill of particulars, in part, in the Marcotte case, the bill in Hennessey's case only differing in the name:

Bill of Particulars.  
That the acts relied upon to prove the allegations set forth in said complaint took place in Lincoln hall on Germain street in said Lowell on and during the evening of Feb. 19, current.  
That at said time and place a certain public diversion or dance was held. That a large number of persons, both male and female, were present as participants in and spectators of said dancing.  
That certain police officers of the city of Lowell were also present to maintain proper decorum while dancing was in progress.  
The bill then charges indecent postures and attitudes on the part of Miss Marcotte and the she continued to dance with somewhat reckless abandon despite the protests of the police officers. It is further stated that her actions constituted a violation of section 46 of chapter 212 of the revised laws of the commonwealth, having to do with lewd and lascivious conduct.

## MURDER OF WIFE CHARGED

Wm. Cheney Tells Court of Details That Led Up to Tragedy—She Loved Another

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—With a wealth of detail concerning the conversations he had with his wife in the days before he killed her in a hotel here last fall but not a word about the manner in which he killed her, William Cheney today held up his trial for murder.

In his testimony he declared that his wife had confessed her love for another man and that she had been with her to return to their Cincinnati home, where their two little children awaited them and where he was a respected and prosperous business man.

## LAND PURCHASED

To be Sold for Building Lots Near Boston & Maine Car Shops

It was stated today that the Worcester land development company of Worcester has purchased an eight-acre lot of land located on Pollard street, near High street, North Billerica, and will immediately begin to mark off the land and sell it in small lots. The land was owned by Daniel Callahan. It is said that the price paid was \$7700.

## THE POSTOFFICE BILL

AMENDMENTS TO STRIP POSTMASTER GENERAL OF PARCEL POST REGULATIONS THROWN OUT

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Amendments to the post office bill to strip the postmaster general of power to lower rates and alter regulations of the parcel post were thrown out by the senate today.

## DEMANDS OF U.S.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Secretary Bryan announced late today that a demand for the punishment of those responsible for the killing of Clemente Vergara has been sent by the United States to the Huerta government.

ESTIMATES ARE READY  
The municipal council struggled with the 1914 departmental estimates for nearly four hours today and at 4 o'clock it was stated that the estimates had been practically agreed upon and that they would be settled for keeps at a meeting of the council to be held tomorrow morning.

OPPOSES INTERVENTION  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—In a speech attacking the pension policy of the government Rep. Dismick today signed a contract with the Baltimore Federal league club.

BRAVE JOINS FEDERALS  
BALTIMORE, Feb. 27.—Pitcher Jack Quinn of the Boston Nationals today signed a contract with the Baltimore Federal league club.

## AMERICANS TO VIEW THE BODY OF BENTON



1-MEXICAN FORDING RIO GRANDE TO TEXAS  
2-U.S. TROOPERS CHASING MEXICAN DESERTERS BACK ACROSS RIO GRANDE

## Mexican Government Says Lifting of Embargo on Arms Places Rebels in Favorable Situation for Committing Outrages—The Body of William S. Benton at Chihuahua

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Consul Letcher telegraphed Secretary of state Bryan today that Villa would permit two Americans, two British representatives and ten members of the family of William S. Benton to view the body of the dead ranchman.

It is assumed that the body is at Chihuahua City.

Consul Letcher also reported that Villa would permit two physicians to accompany the American and British representatives and members of the Benton family and that he would furnish transportation and accommodations for all of them.

Secretary Bryan said last before entering the cabinet meeting that Consul Letcher's dispatches also confirmed previous information that Benton's body was in Chihuahua City.

over the hanging of Vergara. The act, they believed, had shocked the American people and should not be unpunished. Steps will be taken to impress the Huerta government of the feeling of the United States in the matter particularly after repeated assurances had been given by the Huerta government that Vergara would not be harmed.

So far as could be learned the cabinet was not inclined to condemn the killing of Benton, but in discussing responsibility for the case some members were inclined to think that Benton at least was induced in going into the camp of a military commander with whom he was not on friendly terms and entering into an argument with him.

U. S. REGARDS HANGING OF VERGARA AS SUBJECT FOR REPARATION BY HUERTA

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—That the American government regards the hanging of Clemente Vergara, an American, near Hidalgo, Mexico, as a subject for reparation by the Huerta government, became known after today's cabinet meeting.

GEO. C. CAROTHERS POSTPONES DEPARTURE FOR CHIHUAHUA FOR INVESTIGATION

EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 27.—George C. Carothers today admitted that he had postponed his departure for Chihuahua

and while he was silent as to his reasons, it was assumed that the arrival here of the British emissary, Charles Arthur Perceval to participate in the Benton investigation and the receipt by Carothers of a despatch from Mexico City accounted for the delay.

Gen. Hugh L. Scott, Carothers and Perceval maintained complete reserve as to their plans.

It was believed, however, that when the commission to examine Benton's body departs for Chihuahua, where Gen. Villa says it is buried, the British official would accompany the investigators.

Meanwhile anxiety over the disappearance of Gustav Bauch continued. Rivals of Chihuahua and Sonora both deny that they have him and believe in the report that the German American was shot as a spy last Thursday, was still general on this side of the Rio Grande.

MEXICAN REBELS LOSE GROUND BY DELAY IN NOT PUSHING FEDERALS

CHIHUAHUA, Mexico, Feb. 27.—As an explanation of his continued delay in attacking the federalists at Torreon, close advisers of Gen. Francisco Villa today stated that the rebel leader was quite content with his present supreme authority and that he would not push southward until necessity seemed to demand it.

## Third Edition ASSESSORS MEET THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

Behind Closed Doors for the Purpose of Arranging Estimates—Council May Elect Officers—Other City Hall News

The municipal council tackled the departmental estimates again this morning and it is sincerely hoped on all sides that some agreement will be arrived at today in order that the appropriation may be arranged tomorrow in public meeting.

The meeting this forenoon was behind closed doors as have been all of the meetings having to do with the appropriations, but today's session aroused a little more than ordinary interest, or curiosity, because of the fact that the assessors were called in and every little while loud voices were heard even though the doors were closed and locked.

Election of Officers  
After the council has finished with

the estimates or yearly budget, the members will turn their attention to the election of officers, but so far as can be gleaned at city hall there will be no such clean sweep made as was talked about at the beginning of the year.

## TAFT FOR CLAYTON BILL

Before House Judiciary Committee as Head of Bar Association and Advocated its Passage

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Former President Taft appeared today before the house judiciary committee in the capacity of president of the American Bar association, and with several other members of the association advocated the passage of the Clayton bill to authorize the supreme court to prescribe forms and rules of procedure for federal courts on the common law side.

"All men delight in the exercise of patronage," said Mr. Taft. "Of course, he added with a broad smile, 'on this matter I am speaking to the republicans on your committee; not the democrats.'"

The rally brought a ripple of laughter from the committee.

One of the troubles with the appointments of judges, Mr. Taft said, was that the temptation was strong to hand up about themselves "judicial families." Lawyers knew, he said, that it was often a dangerous thing to make any charge against a court clerk before the judge who had appointed him. That temptation could be removed by Congress, Mr. Taft insisted, and the courts as they are now constituted could be vindicated without resort to the recall, which he believed harmful. He thought appointments of receivers by federal judges should be made from a list furnished by the interstate commerce commission.

Mr. Taft added that at some later date it would be probably advisable to provide for the examination of the rules of procedure by a commission with a view to harmonizing and administering the two rules of federal court work.

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Grind your coffee in an electric mill—right out front where your customers will see it.

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# NEWS OF LEGISLATURE

## Hearing on Bill to Regulate the Station Agents' Hours—Fire Drills—Other Matters

BOSTON, Feb. 27.—Speaking yesterday in opposition to various amendments proposed to the workmen's compensation act before the committee on judiciary Dr. Wm. R. Hutchins, ex-superintendent of insurance in New York, said Massachusetts is behind the times in the amount of compensation. He decidedly disapproved any lowering of the waiting period, however.

Joseph A. Edgwick, treasurer of the Fore River Shipbuilding corporation, said he believed in compensation, but was opposed to employees choosing their own doctors. Charles L. Hodges opposed the general principles of the amendments and particularly to employees choosing their own physicians.

**Station Agents' Hours**  
The bill to regulate station agents' hours of labor was given a hearing by the committee on railroads. Representative Washburn and Counsel Coolidge of the Boston & Maine wrangled about the financial troubles of the road, prompting Counsel Barnes of the New Haven to remark that "the bill before the house seemed to be the thing least talked about."

P. J. Corle of the Station Agents' union, Stanley Perry, a crossing tender, Representative Stuart B. Little of Newbury, a station agent for 25 years, Patrick Doherty, a baggage master, John E. Dunn of Gardner, a baggage master, Representative Albert Holway of Bourne, Frank Hughes of Medford, for 40 years in the employ of the Boston & Maine and now a crossing man, all spoke in favor of the bill.

There was no report from the committee on constitutional amendments on a constitutional convention though it was started Wednesday night that the committee had reported leave to withdraw.

It is known that the published story that two democrats on the committee—Tracy of Boston and Souther of Cohasset—had signed the report brought down the wrath of many democrats upon their heads. There was talk of their having broken party pledges and there promised to be some embarrassing moments for them if the report was made as forecasted. It may also be found that Messrs. Souther and Tracy have dissented.

### Fire Drills

The house yesterday voted to reconsider its vote on Wednesday referring to the next general court the report of the committee on labor on the bill compelling fire drills in mercantile establishments. Mr. Drury explained that a better bill for fire precautions was pending before the committee, on labor and that the bill in question was opposed by both employers and employees.

Dolben of Somerville, who moved reconsideration, urged that the bill was a reasonable and necessary one. Mr. Beebe declared that the bill would prevent fire horrors like that of the Armory. Mr. Cox urged that the board of labor and industry is fully able to handle the situation.

Lawyer of Lawrence said his district contained some of the largest factories in the world; that he had worked in the mills all his life and that he believed the bill would tend to destroy life rather than protect it.

On a standing vote reconsideration was refused, 57 to 52, but prevailed on the yeas and nays, 126 to 74.

### Municipal Employees

The bill to authorize Saturday half-holidays to municipal employees was passed to be engrossed without debate.

### Woman Suffrage

A resolve for a constitutional amendment to permit woman suffrage was filed yesterday in the senate by Senator Clarence W. Hobbs, Jr., senate chairman of the committee on constitutional amendments. Representatives Frederick W. Hurlbut of Worcester and Clifford B. Sanborn of Norwood dissent.

Without debate or division, the senate rejected the measure. It shall not appear as counsel before legislative committees, or act as counsel for a

public service corporation while in the legislature.

On motion of Senator Gordon and without debate or division the resolve to pay house recess committee on tuberculosis and child labor was passed to be engrossed under suspension of the rules and goes to the house to be enacted. These reports of the committee were read.

**Public Service**—Leave to withdraw on the petition for a second assistant district attorney for the southeastern district.

**Public Health**—Next general court on the petition for the inspection of schools, no legislation on the report of the state board of health as to prosecutions for adulterated food and drugs, also a bill for the regulation of sausage and chopped meat factories.

**Railroads**—Leave to withdraw on the petition for a guaranty by the state of the Boston, Quincy and Fall River bicycle railroad bonds.

**Social Welfare**—Leave to withdraw to the mayor of Boston on his petition to authorize municipal lodging houses in Boston, Mr. Morrill of the house dissenting; to Chester B. Lawrence on his petition for municipal lodging houses in Boston, Mr. Morrill dissenting; to William Hackett on his petition for municipal lodging houses in cities of 100,000 or more inhabitants, Mr. Morrill dissenting.

**Public Lighting**—A bill for a municipal lighting plant in Taunton.

**Cities**—Leave to withdraw at request of the petitioner to Mayor Moulton of Haverhill on his petition for a city hospital.

### To Revise Tax Laws

The newly formed citizens' committee on taxation, urging reform of the taxation system in the interests of business and commercial welfare in Massachusetts, called on Gov. Walsh at the state house yesterday morning. The committee was formed at the Exchange club last week.

In the delegation that called on Gov. Walsh yesterday were the chairman, Lucius Tuttle, ex-president of the Boston & Maine; Hon. Levi H. Greenwood, ex-president of the state senate; Wallace B. Donham of the Old Colony Trust company; Henry Sterling and Alexander Whitcliffe, a latter secretary of the committee. The other members of the committee, Sherman, L. Whipple, John J. Martin and George E. Willett, were absent.

The committee was very cordially received by Gov. Walsh. He declared his belief that few questions were more important than the revision of the tax system.

Secretary Whitcliffe for the citizens' committee said later as to the conference: "The governor is most interested in this cause. He has kept up his own in form, to him and suggested further conferences."

## TO HOLD RACES

Lowell Driving Club Will Give Fine Program on Merrimack River

The Lowell Driving club will hold a meeting on the Merrimack river track tomorrow afternoon, and it is expected that the program will be the best that local lovers of trotting and racing have seen here this winter. Several out of town entries have sent in their intentions of entering.

Trotting and racing enthusiasts have gotten together this winter for the first time in many years and plans are now under way for making the Lowell Driving club a permanent organization with permanent quarters. Plans are also being promulgated for a driving park of the half-mile variety. Those in the know say the latter proposition is quite feasible and that it is very likely to be put through. The members of the club are as follows:

James S. Hanson, Daniel T. Sullivan, Malcolm D. Brown, John J. Clark, Lewis A. Lovering, A. P. Robertson, Ray Frost, Albert E. Livermore, Harry M. Parker, Victor Provencio, Clinton Coffin, Patrick Cogger, M. T. Senecal, Charles W. Barney, Thomas H. Braden, Dr. J. H. M. Lewis, R. J. Murphy, L. E. Wolcott, Arnold J. Ryan, A. H. Dana, W. W. Parker, A. G. Titus, Oscar Dewell, George E. Silas, Frank A. O'Neill, Geo. D. Gordon, Charles W. Peter, Peter, Robert Costello, George A. Parker, C. F. Clark, Thomas H. Braden, Robert J. Davis, James McDonald, Frank Casey, John Galvin, Fred Burlingame, Frank Dimond, Irving Barlow, John J. Donlon, R. J. Hynes, P. McKenna, J. L. Fuller, O. W. Peabody, Fred Kingsbury, John T. Conway, J. A. Porter, David Dickson, Henry Reynolds, Julius Hecory, Thomas McDonald, Charles Stacey, Dr. Beechett, Joseph H. H. Leach, George Bernard, Frank Barnard, William Rudden, A. B. Humphrey, Frank McKean, O. B. Davis, John Brady, W. H. McKinnon, P. B. Johnson, Dr. Wentz, Robert S. Greenleaf, Geo. R. Myers, Richard S. Greenleaf, L. A. Clark, E. S. Mayhew, Henry Clapp, C. Varnum, Charles H. Hanson, W. M. Ball, Peter Morin, Wilfred Savant, Peter McQuarrie, Hector Clough, Chas. Campbell, L. L. Connelley, Nelson B. Hickey, J. W. Barrett, Francis Hickey, J. W. Barrett, J. A. Stacey, J. H. Hickey, M. Beaudet, Dr. Munn, George Lamm, A. Lennox, John F. Saunders, S. Baker, Malcolm A. Miller, Harry Hecory, Dr. H. H. Hecory, Dr. P. L. Michan, Victor Roberts, Frank L. Baldwin, Lucien Hecory, Ernest Hecory, John Hecory, Leon Hecory, John J. Hecory, A. A. Parker.

To accommodate those wishing to take in the races on the Merrimack river tomorrow, the members have opened a path from Middlesex street to the river where the pontoon bridge will be located during the auto race, and this will allow many to reach the course by taking the Middlesex street or North Chelmsford car.

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**COME TODAY AND TOMORROW TO OUR GREAT ANNUAL Kitchen Furnishing Sale**  
Five carloads of Enamelware, Tinware, Galvanized Ware, Aluminum Ware, Glassware, Woodenware, Willow Ware, Dinnerware, Silverware, Japanned Ware, etc., etc.,  
At About Half the Regular Prices.

**Nine Hundred SHIRT WAISTS** At Reduced PRICES  
White voiles, lawns, batistes, odd lots that were 60c, 70c, 80c, now **49c**  
12 dozen white waists, some with colored embroideries, that were \$1 and \$1.50, now..... **59c**  
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Lingerie, tailored linen and voile waists in 20 different styles, that were \$1.98 and \$2.98, now..... **\$1.29**

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Women's Heavy-Fleece Lined Hose, plain black, double soles, at **25c**  
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About two hundred pairs in broken sizes, left over from many different lines that sold for \$2 and \$1.49—Choice now **69c a Pair**

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**ON RIVER DEVELOPMENT**  
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Paintings by Lowell and Other Artists Exhibited at Whistler House—Much Interest Manifested

**TOO MANY CHILDREN**  
The collection of oil paintings on exhibition at the Whistler house at the present time, though small in number, is richly interesting for quality and interest by any that has been seen here in recent years. One of the few paintings on exhibition is a landscape by W. L. Metcalf, etc. Metcalf is a native of Lowell and has no one better in the city. In addition to

**NEGRO COLONY**  
more than 100 Boston negroes as prospective colonists. Garrett and W. E. Lane of Oklahoma have established headquarters in the negro quarter in the South End.  
Sam's operations are under investigation by the federal district attorney's office in New York.

**TOO MANY CHILDREN**  
This exhibition will shortly begin, planned by a show of the later etchings by Lester G. Murphy, well known as a Lowell boy who has attained to international fame.



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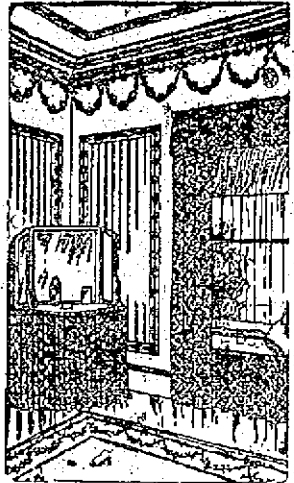
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## MR. J. C. MAHONEY DEAD SHOE MEN'S CONVENTION

Former Resident of Collinsville  
Died Suddenly at Maynard,  
Mass., of Heart Disease

The many friends of Jeremiah C. Mahoney, who for a number of years conducted a barber shop in Lakeview avenue, Collinsville, will be grieved to learn of his sudden death which occurred last night at Maynard, Mass., where he had removed with his family shortly after his home in Collinsville was totally destroyed by fire a few months ago.

Mr. Mahoney was employed as a barber by his brother, Cornelius, who conducts a shop in Maynard. Yesterday he worked until 5.30 o'clock and reached the home of his cousin, where he was stopping with his wife and daughter, in Brown street at about 9 o'clock. Upon entering the house he dropped to the floor and when the members of the family rushed to his side he was dead. The cause of death being heart trouble.

Deceased, who was well known in Lowell and Collinsville, was about 45 years of age. He is survived by a wife, Della; a daughter, Nellie; and three brothers, William, Cornelius and John Mahoney, all of Maynard.

## FARMERS' INSTITUTE HELD

Prof. O. A. Morton Discussed  
"New Movements in Education"  
to Billerica Farmers Today

The third meeting of the Middlesex North Agricultural society was held today in the Billerica town hall with a large attendance of members from nearly every city and town throughout northern Middlesex county. The program was one of the most interesting ever given and much credit is due the committee in charge for the excellent entertainment afforded all who attended.

At 10.30 o'clock the meeting was called to order, and Prof. Orion A. Morton of Amherst college, was introduced as the principal speaker. Professor Morton took for his subject "New Movements in Education," and he spoke at some length on the value of education along scientific lines to the agricultural man. His talk was very interesting as well as instructive, and the conclusion he was asked many questions as to his opinion about subjects that were brought up by those in attendance.

Considerable business of a routine nature was also transacted at the forenoon session, and then all journeyed to the banquet hall where a bountiful dinner was served by the ladies of the Billerica grange. After dinner there was speaking by several of the members and some interesting topics were discussed.

At the afternoon session there was a lecture by pupils of the primary and grammar schools in the surrounding towns. Those who took part were: Gladys Holden and Elizabeth Wright, Billerica; Elsie Olson and Ruth Garland, Tewksbury; John Callahan and Lesley Colburn, Dracut; Mildred Brock and Alice Goulet, Parker avenue school; Ralph Boyt and Margaret Elliott, Chelmsford. The prizes were: First, \$5; second, \$3; third, \$1.

The committee in charge was headed by Mr. Howard Foster of Tewksbury.

## TO TRANSPORT CHINESE

NOGALES, Mexico, Feb. 27.—As a result of the anti-Chinese demonstrations at Cananea, Sonora, this week, arrangements were made today to transport Chinese or other foreigners who might be endangered by a recurrence of the demonstration across the line into the United States.

Big Gathering to be Held in Boston in  
July—The Market for Hides Shifting  
—Gossip of the Shoe Shops

July 8 to 15, 1914, should be a big week in Boston, in fact the biggest week the shoe and leather trade has ever seen, for the seventh annual shoe and leather fair will be held in Mechanics building at that time. During the same week the International Shoe and Leather week, organized by the New England Shoe and Leather association, and a score of affiliated associations will be observed. In Boston the Boston chamber of commerce has taken an active interest in this big trade week and plans are under way to bring the greatest number of shoe and leather men to Boston that ever visited the city before. It is said that the Lynn chamber of commerce is also interested and that a special Lynn day will be observed during the week. On July 11 there will be a Canadian day and a Great Britain day.

According to statistics there has been a very large decrease noted in cattle hides during the past few seasons and it is causing no little wonderment on the part of all who have anything to do with the business just what the outcome will be. The following article regarding this subject appeared in a recent issue of the Shoe and Leather Weekly and will undoubtedly interest our readers.

There is a popular but to some extent erroneous impression that cattle hides are in plentiful supply in South America and especially in the Argentine Republic. There are about 25,000,000 head of cattle in the Argentine against 55,000,000 head in the United States. It is only because of the small population of the South American countries in proportion to their cattle supply that they have a surplus for export.

Last year we failed to receive anything like our normal share of the hides shipped from South American ports. This is accounted for by the larger purchases of hides for European countries. When hides were put on the free list in 1909 the surplus of raw material in the countries south of us came to this country and the tanners of Europe refused to pay the high prices demanded. Last year the tables were turned in this regard and our importations decreased in an alarming degree.

The table gives the imports into the United States for 11 months ending November, 1913. From the Argentine Republic we received 37,707,774 pounds of hides against 32,579,755 pounds for the same 11 months of 1912. Here is a decrease of 5,128,019 pounds, or 14 per cent.

From Uruguay we received 5,150,519 pounds against 12,248,085 pounds during the 11 months of 1912. This was a decrease of 7,097,566 pounds, or 58 per cent.

From Colombia during the 11 months of last year we received 2,325,932 pounds against 6,081,125 pounds for the same 11 months of 1912. Here was a decrease of 3,755,193 pounds, or 61 per cent.

From Venezuela we received 3,870,665 pounds against 4,275,005 pounds in the 1912 period. Here was a decrease of 404,340 pounds, or 9 per cent.

From Mexico we received 15,544,225 pounds against 23,560,775 pounds in the 1912 period. Here was a decrease of 8,016,550 pounds, or 34 per cent.

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Financial Statement Filed.

The Field Lumber Co. of this city has filed the following sworn statement under Massachusetts laws with the commissioner of corporations this month. Date of annual meeting, Feb. 1, 1914. D. W. Field, president; A. W. Lambert, treasurer, and R. L. Goggin, director.

Assets

Machinery	\$10,761.08
Mrs. made etc.	21,592.64
Cash and debts recd.	74,184.23
Prep. Items	2,740.08
Stock in other Cos.	476.00
Total	\$119,754.03

Liabilities

Capital stock	\$15,000.00
Accts. pay	44,553.03
Float indebted	60,000.00
Total	\$119,553.03

Mr. Roberts, formerly employed by the Burley-Stevens Co., Newburyport, Mass., and more recently with the Federal shoe Co. of this city, has resigned his position with this concern and has accepted a position as foreman of the cutting department for the Virginia Shoe Co. of Richmond, Va.

W. A. Todd, formerly foreman of the lasting and making department of the Dudley-Mears-Stevens Co. of this city, has accepted a similar position with the R. G. Tucker Co. of Brockton, Mass.

E. W. C. Hoken, recently with the Slater Shoe Co. of Montreal, Que., as buyer and manager of the sole leather department, has accepted the position

of superintendent of the James Mutt Shoe Co. of Massachuetts. Que. Mr. Hoken, while still a young man, has held some very responsible positions in the shoe factory. Some few years ago he was superintendent of the Lowell Shoe Co. of this city, which was located in the plant in Stackpole street, now occupied by the Barry Shoe Co., and he left that position to enter the employ of one of the largest tanning concerns in Canada, with headquarters in Ontario. The factory which Mr. Hoken is now managing is one of the most up-to-date plants of shoes can be turned out daily.

Louis Mercier of this city has taken charge of the sole leather department of the Slater Shoe Co. of Montreal, Que. Mr. Mercier is a practical sole leather man and will make a valuable addition to the executive staff of this concern.

## WILL NOT GO TO JAIL

COUNCILMAN JAMES A. WATSON OF  
BOSTON STATES HE WILL NOT  
VISIT CHARLES STREET JAIL.

BOSTON, Feb. 27.—Intimating that he fears trouble if he should visit the Charles street jail unaccompanied because of his heated controversy with Sheriff John Quinn, Councilman James A. Watson replied yesterday to the sheriff's intimation that Watson would not be allowed to visit the jail alone, by declaring that he has more sense than to go to the jail alone.

Replying to Sheriff Quinn's intimation that he will not be allowed to visit the jail alone, I wish to say I have the right to visit the jail alone if I wish, but as a sensible man, I will not. Councilman Watson declared. "Let Mr. Quinn guess what I mean."

The friction between Councilman Watson and Sheriff Quinn has reached a fever heat, more especially since Wednesday's meeting of the city council, when Watson secured the adoption of an order providing for an investigation of the institution by the city council committee on prisons, of which Watson is a member.

## THE FISHING PONDS

SHOULD BE KEPT RESTOCKED,  
SAID GOV. WALSH IN SPRING-  
FIELD LAST NIGHT

SPRINGFIELD, Feb. 27.—Governor Walsh and four members of his staff were guests last night at a dinner of the Springfield Fish and Game association at the Highland hotel. Other guests were Dr. George W. Field, chairman, and George H. Graham of the State Fish and Game commission and several senators.

The governor arrived at 6.30 and was met by Councilor Henry L. Bowles and members of the Fish and Game association and escorted to the Northfield hall where he made his headquarters, being the guest over night of Councilor Bowles.

A reception preceded the dinner at

the Highland hotel. The reception committee consisted of E. A. Woodward, Dr. E. A. Gates, Charles R. Cutler, James P. Hatch, Dr. W. A. McGuire, Charles S. Ballard, A. E. Snow, J. Douglas, Law D. C. Kenney and Henry L. Bowles.

Samuel D. Sherwood, president of the organization, presided at a business meeting, when 40 members were admitted.

James S. Whipple, a former forest fish and game commissioner of New York, spoke on the conservation of forest, fish and game.

Governor Walsh said in part: "The fish and game associations of the commonwealth constitute a great instrument in bringing about the conservation of the state's natural resources. All the ponds of Massachusetts were leased by individuals 25 years ago, but a wonderful change has taken place. There are 500 great ponds in the commonwealth containing fish. All the ponds should be kept restocked by the state, so as to afford a place for the workingman and his family to fish when they have a day of leisure."

"The ponds ought to team with fish and the covers with game, not only to furnish the people with a valuable food product which they can get themselves, but for the health and the recreation afforded thousands of people. The privilege of being out of doors and breathing God's pure air is a great asset."

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GENTLEMEN—I am a happy man. If I don't sell a suit on the strength of this ad. for this double occasion, I still would be happy. The fact that I have reached the stage where I can say to any business man in Lowell: My location is the best in this city and he can't dispute it. Is My Five Years' Ambition Realized?

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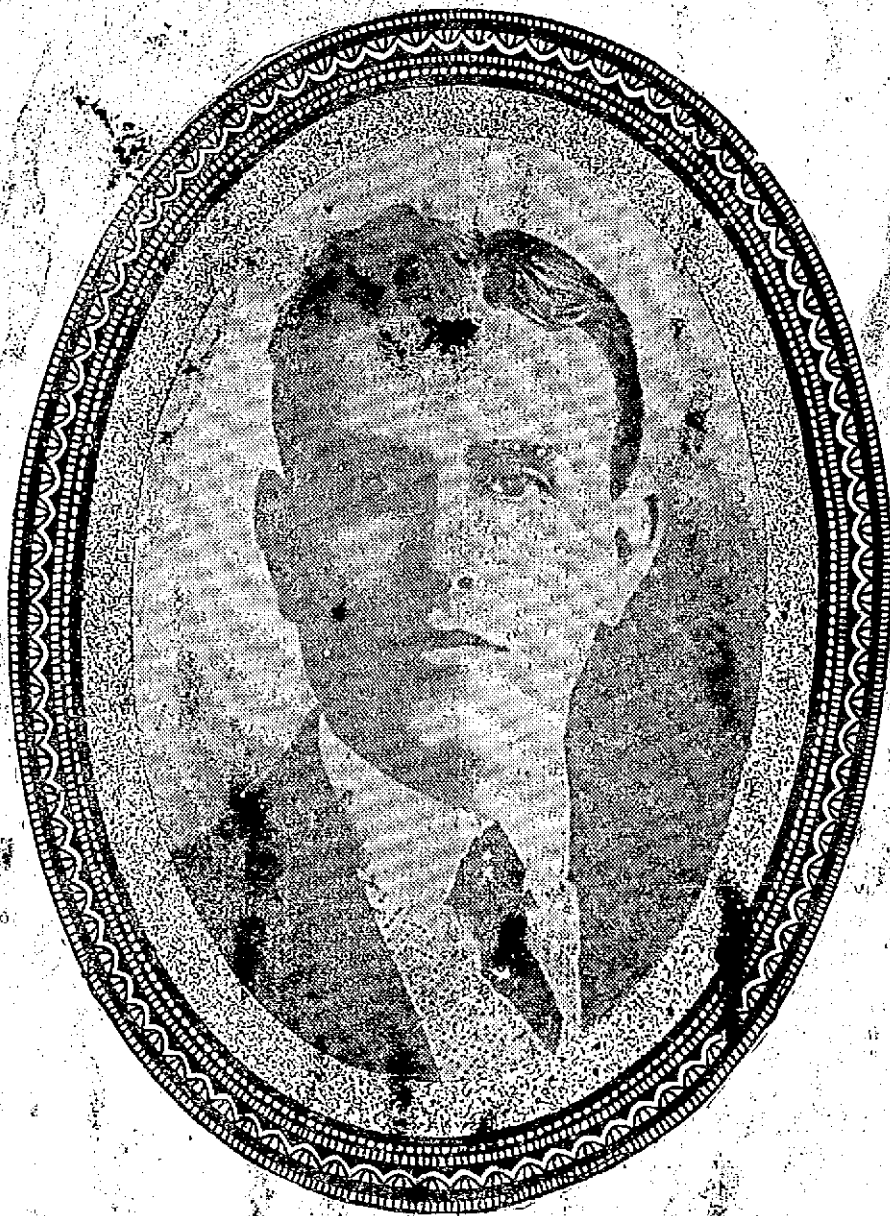
I wish to meet the ladies of Lowell, and as an inducement to you all, to the lady who calls with her brother, father, husband or friend, to buy a suit, or the lady who buys a suit pattern of mannish cloth which will be sold at special prices for my opening day, I will give free as a souvenir a pair of

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## LEAGUE MEETS TUESDAY

Pres. Murnane to Take in Banquet at Fitchburg—Dope on Lewiston and Fred Lake's Outfit

The New England league will hold its regular meeting next Tuesday afternoon in Boston when the report of the schedule will be heard and acted upon. Although the schedule has not been made public, of rather the list of games and dates, which have been drawn up by the committee, it is thought that the season will open later this year. Last spring the first few

game will doubtless be the result. Last year's duplicate of the meeting which will be held next Tuesday did not amount to very much if you remember. At that time Haverhill was still in the circuit and the schedule which was at first drawn up had to be changed over when the shift came to Fall River. It is quite probable that the schedule committee's report will not be accepted as a garment but the majority of the recommendations made by this group will undoubtedly go through.

Lake and Murnane  
Frederick the Great, of Fitchburg baseball prominence at present, will take the grand old president of our "Little Old League" down to his adopted home next Wednesday where the pair will be entertained by the board of trade of Fitchburg. Here's a tip to the fans of Lowell—if you want to catch a glimpse of Tim Murnane use your influence with the board of trade and tender him a banquet. That would bring him, we think, but it would take some such inducement to coerce him to the baseball park of the team which has twice won the pennant since 1911.

Lewiston Magnates Busy  
Mike McDonough and Joe Burns are two busy individuals these days, and

so also is Secretary Tim Leonard. Hugh Duffy is not the only one who is looking over the ball tossers of the Maine colleges for the Lewiston magnates are hooking up whatever material looks good to them among the collegians. The Lewiston fans are greatly disappointed at the inability of the club to procure Fred Parent as manager. Fred is a great favorite with the Maine fans as he hails from that state and played there before jumping into the big show.

A Lewiston scribe writes that the owners of that franchise made Parent an offer which exceeded the contract he now holds from the Baltimore club. It hardly sounds logical, neighbor. The reason ascribed to Parent's non-appearance as manager was that Manager Dunn of the Orioles wanted too much for Parent. There's nothing like having a faithful press agent for your ball club!

Outlook at Fitchburg and Lewiston  
If Hugh Duffy and his actions at Portland last season are reflections, and we think they are, of the manager in which the clubs at Fitchburg and Lewiston will open this year then you can go lay a wager that neither of these clubs will be in the running. Both cities are now in the baseball fold, that is, neither burg has been represented by a club for a long time.

The old saying that it helps a city, we are speaking now in a baseball sense, to have its franchise every year, is generally accepted as a truism by men expert in the handling of baseball clubs. Duffy, gambling on the fact that the Portland fans were baseball crazy and would troop out to his park to watch any kind of a club perform, placed a mediocre bunch on his diamond.

We have all got to lend it to Duffy. However, for with his not even average New England league club he made mistakes not during the latter part of the season. Of course Hugh would have liked to have won the flag, make no mistake about that, but he was determined not to spend money to accomplish this feat.

The idea was simply that the Portland public wanted to see baseball games and would pay to see them regardless of the fact that the management would not spend money to provide the greatest paying city in the league with a team worthy of its patronage. It is said that Duffy had several players on his roster who were receiving the munificent salary of \$75 per month.

Lewiston and Fitchburg  
Now whether the Lewiston and Fitchburg owners will also attempt these tactics, of course, we cannot tell at this point but we sincerely hope it will not be the case. Lake was never known to spend any MORE than he had to for players but the New England league has gone under a vast change since his days. Within its fold he cannot go along now and make any showing in the way that was once his wont. We cannot conceive, however, of Lake's putting anything very formidable in the way of a pennant contender upon the Fitchburg diamond but hope to be disappointed in this prediction.

As for the Lewiston club, that also is more or less of an unknown proposition. If Lewiston places a team in the field that will not stand the gaff against the other clubs it will hurt the league standings immeasurably. And besides they may not find a Hugh Duffy or a Fred Lake to handle their club, and in a case of this kind they would be left behind if the personnel of the Lewiston team were just as good as that of either Portland or Fitchburg. Duffy and Lake, with their major league experience, can do wonders with a club of rookies where another club would hardly win a game under a vast change since his days. Within its fold he cannot go along now and make any showing in the way that was once his wont. We cannot conceive, however, of Lake's putting anything very formidable in the way of a pennant contender upon the Fitchburg diamond but hope to be disappointed in this prediction.

**BOTH TEAMS WON**  
Y. M. C. A. Aggregations Were Winners at Basketball Last Night

The Pirates of the Y. M. C. A. won their basketball contest from the regular Lawrence association five last night at the local gym and the Englewood Boys' quintet took the Methuen basketball team into camp in the second contest of the evening. Neither game was close enough to annoy the local athletes. Davis and Wilson for the Pirates, and Greenwood for the Englewood Boys featured. The summaries:

**PIRATES**—Lawrence 44, Englewood 21. Goals from the floor: Davis 9, Wilson 6, Greenwood 5, Hubert 6, Moorehouse 2, DuCharme, Pollock and Curly. Goals on the line: Watson 4, Greenwood 4, Wilson 1. Score: Lowell 44, Lawrence 21. Goals from the floor: Davis 9, Wilson 6, Greenwood 5, Hubert 6, Moorehouse 2, DuCharme, Pollock and Curly. Goals on the line: Watson 4, Greenwood 4, Wilson 1.

**LOWELL**—Methuen 18, Lowell 14. Goals from the floor: Smith 10, Greenwood 4, Hubert 6, Moorehouse 2, DuCharme, Pollock and Curly. Goals on the line: Watson 4, Greenwood 4, Wilson 1.

**WRESTLING**—TITLE BY THROWING ABERG TWICE IN TWO HOURS  
BOSTON, Feb. 27.—A wrestling title changed hands last night at Mechanics building when Stanislaus Zbyszko, the Pole, defeated Alexander Aberg, Finnish champion, two falls in a mat battle that lasted nearly two hours.

The defeat was a bitter pill for the Finn, for he had held the title as Greek-Roman king for 10 years. Furious at his downfall, no sooner had he regained his feet after being put to the mat for the second and winning fall than he rushed on Zbyszko in blind rage and he hit the Pole into the ropes.

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## MILITARY TEAMS

Standing of Teams in Armory Tournament—Co. G Leads

The standing of the four company teams in the Armory tournament has been computed to date and stands as follows:

GENERAL STANDING			
Company	Won	Lost	P.C.
Company G	75	17	81.3
Company K	65	31	67.7
Company M	34	62	35.4
Company C	14	82	14.6

BOWLING			
Company	Won	Lost	P.C.
Company G	23	3	71.3
Company K	21	11	65.6
Company M	14	19	42.8
Company C	6	26	18.3

BASKETBALL			
Company	Won	Lost	P.C.
Company G	22	0	100.0
Company K	20	12	62.5
Company M	8	24	25.0
Company C	4	28	12.5

SHOOTING			
Company	Won	Lost	P.C.
Company G	24	3	75.6
Company K	24	8	75.0
Company M	12	20	37.5
Company C	4	28	12.5

## DE PALMA WINS

Takes Vanderbilt Cup Race for Second Time—Oldfield Second

SANTA MONICA, Cal., Feb. 27.—Ralph de Palma, who won the Vanderbilt cup race in Milwaukee in 1912, duplicated that performance by winning the Vanderbilt cup race of 1914 over the Santa Monica course yesterday with a Mercedes.  
He beat Barney Oldfield in a Mercer by a narrow margin after a desperate speed battle over more than 100 miles, during which but a few seconds separated the two drivers.  
De Palma's time was 3:53.41 for the 234.35 miles, or an average of 75.6 miles an hour, nearly three miles less than the course record.  
Oldfield was second, Garlson, in a Mason, third, and Cooper, in a Stutz, fourth.

## CALVARY BAPTIST

Wins Game in Baraca League and Sets Up High Team Total

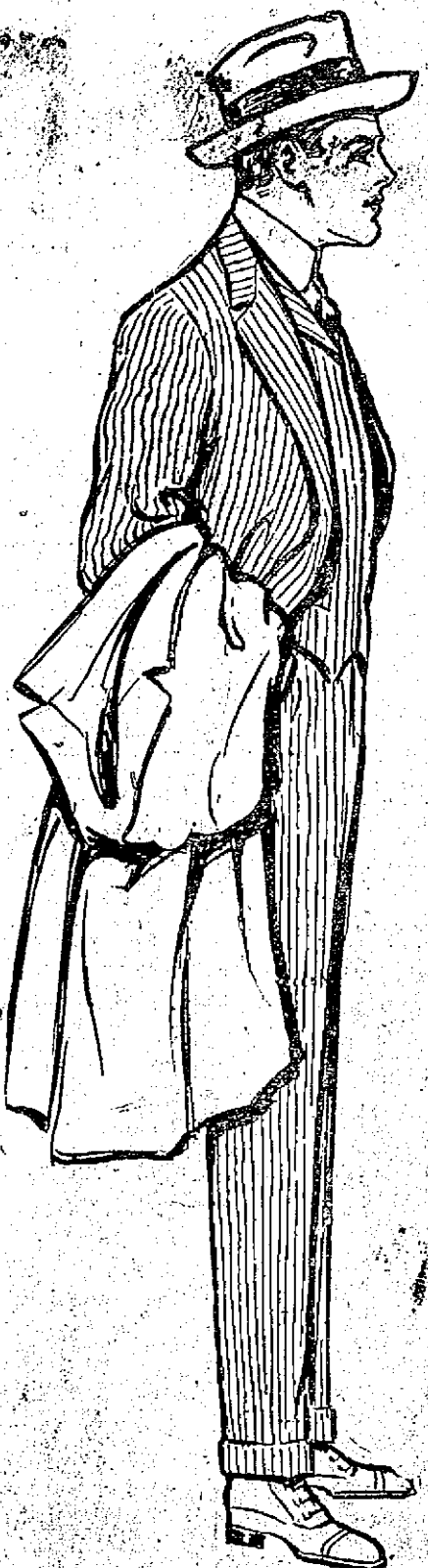
The Calvary Baptist five took another game in the Baraca league last night when they vanquished the Highland M. E. rollers by the score of 1439 to 1402. This match was one of the best played that the league has seen this season. Myrick's figures were the best.

In the Y. M. C. I. league the Fairmounts went down to defeat before the accurate rolling of the Red Sox by a margin of six pins. The bowling of Brennan for the winners was the feature of the contest.

The only match scheduled for last night in the Y. M. C. A. league was between the Wannanacets and the Troquois and resulted in a win by the latter team without difficulty. Greenough's total was the highest.

The Buntings and the Tremont and Suffolk bowlers put up one of the closest contests that the Manufacturers' league has witnessed, only three pins separating the rivals at the conclusion of the roll-off. Each team took one string, the last being a tie. The Tremont and Suffolk men nipped out a victory on the second string. The scores:

**Baraca League**  
Highland M. E.—Harrison, 291; Marshall, 271; Abbott, 285; Holden, 269; Harriman, 276; total 1402.  
Calvary Baptist—Myrick, 322; Davis, 273; Kennedy, 259; Perrin, 277; Moody, 293; total 1439.  
Y. M. C. I. League  
Red Sox—Leonard, 261; McCaffrey, 234; Roscoe, 267; Curtin, 269; Brennan, 270; total 1301.  
Fairmounts—Welch, 234; Gills, 264; Mulligan, 335; Harrington, 232; Stowell, 230; total 1235.  
Y. M. C. A. League  
Troquois—Grant, 268; Wrenn, 275; Greenough, 275; Day, 241; Klitredge, 240; total 1301.  
Wannanacets—Stokes, 261; Kelley, 263; Duncan, 225; Jordan, 261; Buzzell, 232; total 1234.  
Manufacturers' League  
T. & S.—C. Farrell, 267; J. Manning, 265; A. Jordan, 269; Whalen, 270; McDermott, 267; total 1234.  
Buntings—Smith, 261; Lynch, 244; Riley, 273; Buckley, 264; Lane, 273; total 1315.



BUY A SUIT NOW

We are closing out our Winter Suits. It's the policy of this store to always have fresh merchandise to show our patrons each season.

We have taken our \$12.50 and \$15 Suits and broken lots of our \$18 and \$20 Suits and marked them \$9.87.

These Suits are all new this season, in blue, browns and grays, in either worsteds or cassimeres.

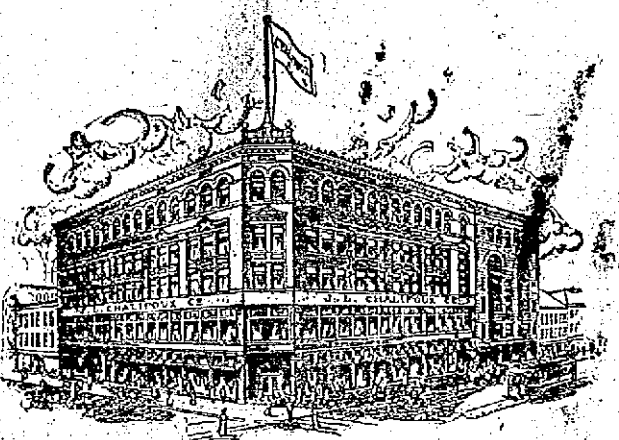
No old styles, no shop-worn merchandise, just getting ready for the new Spring goods.

Other Suits ..... \$7.63 to \$18.37  
Overcoats ..... \$7.50, \$10, \$15  
Former prices \$10.00 to \$38.00

Boys' Overcoats—  
Now ..... \$1.75 \$3.75, \$5.75  
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And still our shelves are filled with merchandise. We have sold even more than we expected since the sale started, but there are lots left, and we will not carry any across to our new home on the corner.

## Shoe Department

Men's \$1.25 Low Overshoes, at ..... 59c  
First quality Caden rubbers, warm lined, fine Jersey cloth top, all sizes from 5 to 11.  
Boys' and Girls' \$1.25 and \$1.50 Shoes, at 98c  
School shoes in all sizes, medium and heavy weights, in button, blucher and lace style.  
Men's \$2.50 Rubber Boots, at ..... \$1.98  
Dull finish knee boots, wool lined.  
Men's \$3.50 Rubber Boots, at ..... \$2.75  
Hood or Woonsocket quality, heavy weight.  
Ladies' \$2.00 and \$2.50 Shoes, at ..... \$1.50  
Button and blucher style in patent, calf, gun metal and Russia calf, low and high heel.  
Ladies' and Misses' 40c Rubber Boots, at ..... 29c  
Low cut and storm in all sizes.

## Furnishing Department

Men's \$1.00 Negligee Shirts, at ..... 50c  
Men's negligees, in fine percale and soisette, laundered or soft French Cuffs, coat style, broken sizes and slightly soiled.  
Men's 50c Working Shirts, at ..... 39c  
Men's working shirts in black steen and drill, cheviot or madras, and blue chambray, collar attached, Congress make.  
Men's 50c Ties, at ..... 25c  
All our 50c four-in-hand ties, open or reversible, plain and fancy.  
All Our \$3.00 Soft and Stiff Hats, in all leading makes and styles, at ..... \$2.15

## Men's Department

100 Men's Fancy Worsted and Cassimere Suits, in brown, gray and fine pinstripe, sizes 34 to 40, also a few fancy blues that sold for \$12. Removal price ..... \$7.75  
75 Men's Hand Tailored \$15 Suits; a few sample suits mixed in, in all the newest patterns; 3 button sacks, high cut vests, semi-peg pants. Removal price ..... \$9.75  
75 Boys' All Wool Norfolk Suits, in all wool chevots, in gray and brown, also blue serges, sizes 8 to 16. Regular \$3 and \$7 value. Removal price ..... \$4.75  
Boys' Blue Serge Norfolk Suits in a good, heavy serge, only a few sizes left, 8 to 14 only. Regular \$5.00 suits. Removal price ..... \$2.75

## Ladies' Department

50 dozen Voile, Lawn and Batiste Waists. Value \$1.45, \$1.98, \$2.98. Removal price ..... 89c  
Clean Up of Veilings in all colors. Value 25c and 50c. Removal price ..... 12 1/2c  
One Lot of Children's Sweaters, red, gray and navy blue. Value 98c and \$1.48. Removal price ..... 69c  
Ladies' and Misses' Coats, all sizes, in mixtures and plain colors. Value \$10 and \$12. Removal price ..... \$2.39  
Serge Dresses, in all shades and sizes. Value \$6.00 and \$8.00. Removal price ..... \$3.49  
12 Sets of Furs, in different styles and colors. Value \$15 to \$30. Removal price ..... \$12.89  
10c to 25c Collars. Removal sale ..... 2 1/2c  
Ladies' collars—Dutch, sailors, jabots and fancy stock collars, slightly soiled.  
10c Combs. Removal sale ..... 2 1/2c  
Ladies' collars—Dutch, sailors, jabots and fancy stock collars, slightly soiled.  
10c to 25c Handkerchiefs. Removal sale ..... 6 1/2c  
Ladies' plain and fancy handkerchiefs, slightly soiled.  
10c to 25c Fancy Buttons. Removal sale ..... 6 1/2c  
Fancy buttons—Pearl, steel, brass, glass, and oriental stones, all sizes, must go at once.  
39c Drawers. Removal sale ..... 21c  
Ladies' white cotton drawers, hambug ruffle, all sizes.  
49c Gowns. Removal sale ..... 24c  
Children's flannelette night gowns, all sizes.  
15c Drawers. Removal sale ..... 4 for 25c  
Children's cotton drawers, soiled on counter, all sizes.  
\$3.00 and \$4.00 Kimonos. Removal sale ..... \$1.59  
Ladies' silk kimonos, made of Jap silk, fancy style, white, pink, blue, oriental designs.

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## USE THE LIBRARY?

One who does not live in a great manufacturing city is apt to regard the fancied conditions of the textile workers of Lowell, Lawrence, Fall River, New Bedford or any of the so-called "mill cities" with a great deal of exaggeration and with but little real understanding. The imagination of such is filled with pictures of hundreds crowding out of wretched tenements in the cold dawn, rushing silently into an atmosphere of wheels and belts and intolerable noise, and again rushing into the streets in the darkness of evening to go back to the miserable home with its limited atmosphere of resigned poverty. Perhaps the external features of this picture of unlovely and unromantic existence are true enough, but in this frame is the picture of a generally happy and contented existence. The miseries of the mill operative are an excellent theme for emotional writers at times of industrial unrest, but the stories woven round this and kindred motifs have generally been as studiously ignored as the product of the exploited toilers in the mills.

ascertain from the above, but the fact remains that education, though most desirable, is accidental and easily acquired, and that the sons and daughters of the most ignorant and poorest immigrants may reach the highest intellectual and social scale within half a century. The higher classes that have agitated the study of eugenics, and made their lives a parable of selfishness with regard to race propagation, have sprung from people very like the lower classes, so-called, today, and if, instead of devoting themselves to the studies agitated by Professor Conklin, they studied the despised "lower classes" of the present, the effect on the future of the country would be more beneficial. The conditions emphasized by the erudite professor are very terrible and very real, but the cure he proposes for the evil must be included as one of the causes of it.

## DEVELOPMENT OF "MOVIES"

With astonishment it was noted a very few years ago that the then considered fad of the moving picture theatres, was encroaching on the field of the legitimate drama, but the astonishment has died down and the "movies" have come to be regarded as a growing and permanent institution whose popularity shows, as yet, no signs of diminishing. Figures recently compiled show that there are 18,000 moving picture theatres in the country with a patronage of from fifteen to twenty million people daily. New York alone has over 150 such houses with a daily attendance of about 850,000. The estimated receipts of all these houses in the country was estimated to be something like \$275,000,000.

Many people assert that the influence of the moving picture theatres on the public is detrimental, and others declare as positively that they are a great source of education and desirable amusement. It would be interesting to know what percentage of the millions who attend them daily is benefited, and what percentage is influenced for evil. Undoubtedly the possibilities of the movies for either good or evil are great, especially on the young, and since they have apparently come to stay it would be well to exert every influence to make them the power for good which they may become. If the sensational is avoided and if the educational and beautiful possibilities are kept in mind.

## A BUSY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

The Municipal Health Department of the District of Columbia, which according to the Journal is "one of the few in the country which not only carries on systematically the various activities involving upon the department, but publishes weekly reports upon the same." An illustration of the work being done in the department the report for the week of January 3rd may be taken as typical. In this is the mortality records; a statement of all contagious diseases, both a record of those reported for the first time during the week, the total number under observation and the number discharged; health or otherwise. During this week 137 nuisances were reported and 138 were reported abated. Inspections were made of 21 barber shops, 14 lodging and tenement houses, 1 stable, 5 theatres, and there were 47 house to house inspections. Observations were made of 81 smokestacks, 13 violations of the law were reported, and 14 plants were inspected. These were but a few of the activities reported, but they are sufficient to show that the health department of the District of Columbia is a busy and energetic collection of officials.

## THE TRACK TO LAWRENCE

Now that the new river road to Lawrence has been practically completed, it seems opportune that the Bay State railroad should decide to lay double tracks to the down-river city. Traffic between Lowell and Lawrence is already heavy enough to warrant such a change, and it is certain that were it not for the discomforts and uncertainties attendant on a single track, the travel on the electric would be even heavier. A double track would tend to promote intercommunication, and would in time pay the railroad for the heavy investment necessary.

## Worms Make Children Peevish

Some symptoms of worms are: Deformed stomach, swollen upper lip, sour tongue, offensive breath, hard and full belly, with occasional gripings and pains about the navel, pale face of leaden tint, eyes heavy and dull, twitching eyelids, itching of the rectum, short, dry cough, grinding of the teeth, little red points sticking out on tongue, starting during sleep, slow fever. If you have the least suspicion that your child is troubled with stomach worms or pinworms, don't hesitate—get a bottle of Dr. Tru's Elixir. This remedy has been on the market since my father discovered it over 60 years ago. Put your child on the way to good health by using Dr. Tru's Elixir, the Family Laxative and Worm Expeller. Good for adults also. At all dealers, 35c, 50c and \$1.00. Advice free.



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essary. Much of the summer travel on the Lawrence line is induced by the beauty of the river scenery, and the hundreds of camps along the river bank, and with the additional attractions of the splendid new boulevard, and the resultant development of the region through which it passes, the public will be drawn to patronize the Bay State railroad in sufficient numbers to make the proposed double track a necessity.

We read that plans for the divorce of the New Haven and Boston and Maine systems have been laid before Attorney-General McReynolds. Neither petitioner seems to be any too willing, and the judge will refuse to give either party permission to marry again. In this, the divorce of the railroad differs from the usual proceeding.

Villa kills an English subject and defies the powers; Illicita hangs an American and refuses to explain why. If both of these brigands represent the feelings of their respective followers, it is easy to understand the reason for Diaz and his tyrannical rule.

Plans for Merrimack river development go on apace. Let us hope that they will not "go on forever" like the river itself.

The bottles may at one time have contained something strong, but evidently when empty they made weak evidence.

Now for some days of sunshine and wet feet.

## Seen and Heard

Queer questions are sometimes asked by women on shopping tours to buy shirts, etc., for the male members of their family. A friend tells this as happening one day while he was in a department store:

"A woman came to the store and went to the counter where she could buy men's shirts. When asked by the clerk, she said she desired, she replied that she did not know, but inquired if he could not make a close guess if she told him the size gave the man wore."

A short time later another clerk at the same counter was started when a woman came in and asked in a low voice "men's shirts, size 33."

Impressed by the words of his Sunday school teacher, a boy attempted after he had returned home to follow the teachings literally and found that it is sometimes practical. During the lesson, the teacher referred to the passage urging a person who receives a blow on the right cheek to turn also the left to his assailant.

## A WOMAN'S HEALTH

Every woman's health is peculiarly dependent upon the condition of her blood. How many women suffer with headache, pain in the back, poor appetite, weak digestion, a constant feeling of weariness, palpitation of the heart, nervousness of breath, pallor and nervousness? If you have any of these symptoms, do not despair, you are getting better but begin now today to build up your blood with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. See how the nervous energy of the body is restored as the blood becomes pure and red and the entire system is strengthened to meet every demand upon it.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are useful for all women but they are particularly valuable for girls of school age who show symptoms of going into a decline, who become pale, nervous and inquisitive. These pills aid in securing perfect development and health by strengthening the system and purifying and building up the blood. This blood during the growing years of a girl's life usually means a flat-chested and hollow-cheeked womanhood. There can be neither health nor beauty without red blood which gives brightness to the eyes and color to cheeks and lips.

Write now to Dr. Williams Medical Co., Schenectady, N. Y., for two helpful booklets, "Main Talks to Women" and "Building Up the Blood."

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Don't let your stomach, liver and bowels make you miserable. Take Cascarets tonight, put an end to the headache, biliousness, dizziness, nervous, sick, sour, gassy stomach, backache and all other ills; cleanse your inside organs of the bile, gases and constipated matter, which is producing the misery.

A ten-cent box means health, happiness and a clear head for months. No more days of gloom and distress if you will take a Cascaret now and then. All druggists sell Cascarets. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a gentle cleansing, too.

at the example of true humility, the mother gave him a piece of cake instead of continuing with the chastisement.

## SHUNNING TEMPTATION

He turned away to shun Temptation; He was aware Of danger where The bright lights glowed; In desperation He turned from those who sought to stay him.

With upraised head He would not let Temptation sway him.

He turned from where the wine was flowing, Where rich fools quaffed And wooed and laughed, With jewels on their bosoms glowing; The wine, the dancing and the singing He proudly spurned.

And as he passed, He heard the careless laughter ringing: He heard the careless laughter ringing.

Forewarned of future tribulation, He looked on those As cunning fiends Who introduced him to Temptation; And then a happy thrill ran through him, for he was

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The editor of the vest-pocket edition of the motor boat, as follows: "I am a motor boat captain, and I have been employed in the pilot house window of a little motor boat, creeping along close to the Jersey shore."

"See that boat? It's hardly larger than a cork, and it's not a dollar that you can make in a couple of minutes."

The captain swung the wheel over and blew a deep, long blast from the whistle in an effort to scare the operator of the motor boat and cause him to change his course and pass to the stern of the ferry boat. The man in the motor boat paid no attention and went chug-chugging on his way.

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decorating his language freely. "I have to make connections with an outgoing train, and if I'm a minute late I have to explain why. If I keep on I'll run down that motor boat."

"In the position we are now in, I have the right of way, and according to government rules and regulations I should keep on my course and let that fellow go ahead of me. I have blown him a whistle, but you see he pays no attention because he doesn't know what the rules of the road are. I suppose he thinks I'm whistling for fun. If I keep on I'll run down that motor boat, and I'm sure to lose my job. I'll stop that dinky thing is out of the way. I'll lose a couple of minutes."

The captain stopped his boat and swore and the motor boat kept on. "My conception of that fellow," said the captain, "is a cowardly brute like this with a lot of fool motor boats puffing around."—New York Times.

CONTRAST  
Away with the smells of the city. With odors that arise from the street. With hustle and bustle of traffic. And the treadings of thousands of feet.

With its places of smoke and of grime. With its rivers of filthy waters. And its sewers of sickening stink.

Oh, give us the smells of the country. With the songs of the birds and the bees. And views of the hills and the valleys. And the comforting shade of the trees.

Where fragrant are ripe fields of clover. And the odors of tall growing corn. And the glorious scent of wild blossoms. Inhaled with the halo of morn.

Oh, give us the country forever. With its woodland and valley and plain. Where Nature and Man are brothers. To the power that ripens the grain.

EDITORIAL COMMENT  
UNSTAMPED MAIL  
Fall River Herald: A wrong impression has been gained from the reports from the postoffice department about forwarding unstamped mail and collecting from the receiver. It does not apply to letter mail, but the uniform favorable comment that welcomed the department's action in this respect is a commendation of the arrangement to first class matter.

PROVIDENCE TRIBUNE: Although President Wilson may still hope that British consideration and assistance which have been promised him, to work out his Mexican policy, without harassing pressure from the United States for more decisive action, the fact that the British foreign office has not yet given the approval of the House of Commons has been seen to adopt. There is no doubt that he will be left unembarrassed till the end.

MONEY SENT "HOME"  
Salem News: With regard to the sending of money abroad by foreigners employed in Massachusetts, the bank commissioners are authority for the statement that the record for 1913 surpasses that of any other like period. It is estimated that over \$1,000,000 was sent thus last year, the water have for the past five years shown an increasing flow. Although only the money sent through banks is reported, the banks and banks under the commission are considered in these figures, the total for last year was more than \$4,000,000. The postoffice, however, companies and other agencies send many millions more, not to speak of the money sent by mail carriers back by signers and friends returning to their home lands.

LAND VALUES  
Johnston Democrat: Lloyd George has throughout his career emphasized the fact that it is the high price of land which is the barrier to all progressive development—national, municipal, industrial. The rating of land values is to be found in the means of picking the artificially inflated money value of land which is maintained by the power of landowners to withhold land from use at their will. In order to pay the same amount of taxes, they use their land for well or ill, or not at all, and the obvious that landowners will be effectively persuaded to put their land to its best use, and to those willing and anxious to do so.

WALKER AND LODGE  
Springfield Union: The Hon. Joseph Walker, probably the biggest, broadest and most unassuming man in the open letter to Senator Lodge praising the President for his attitude toward President Wilson, and assuring him that he had done right. How he felt when Senator Lodge replied that he was at all times ready to do what was right, regardless of what others might think of him, and should continue to do so, is something for the Hon. Joseph himself to describe.

TUBERCULOSIS  
Brooklyn Times: More than 100,000 cases of tuberculosis are the demand of the secretary of the American Medical Association, and he has recently added that a definite logarithmic scale must come first. Massachusetts has plenty of law and no money to pay enough to stamp the disease without any further legislative action, but the disease, just now, is making more progress than the law.

THE CLOCK PROBLEM  
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careful scientifically cannot be told, but they should do wonders. It is common to buy Chinese eggs that will average six to the pound, though smaller ones are also plentiful, but the chicken business is not yet understood by the Chinese and the hens get practically no care or attention. They are not protected from a temporary frequently falling below zero (Fahrenheit) and occasionally at 10 degrees or even 20 degrees below zero. The largest eggs I have seen here average four to the pound, some being slightly over four ounces and others being under four ounces. These were from a hen kept by a man in Autung, whose hens got more attention and better food than the ones kept here.

"The best hen referred to was bought in the market for killing, but escaped that fate and has established a local record. This man has sent some of these large eggs to Norway, where they were admired. It might be possible to improve the size of American eggs by the introduction of careful breeding of some of the fowls referred to. If American poultrymen are interested, the flavor of eggs bought from local



# MAYOR STEALS SCHOOL

## Newburyport Executive Moves Tools, Etc., From Trade School to the City Hall

NEWBURYPORT, Feb. 27.—The Prince Place Manual Training school was stolen yesterday. The author of the unique burglary is Mayor Hiram H. Landford, who took his surprising means of enforcing his decision that the teaching of manual training in the public schools here is to stop March 1.

The school board, which has thought otherwise will seek a writ from the supreme court to make the mayor put the school back.

The act of the mayor in stealing a school and stealing a march on his opponents on the board at the same time, has sent a wave of hot controversy mingled with considerable mirth through the citizens here.

The school consisted of tools, benches and machinery installed in an old factory building, and when the mayor decided on his stroke, he simply had a dray backed up to the door yesterday morning, set a bunch of husky furniture movers to work and cleaned the place out.

The school was captured by Mayor Landford before the very eyes of Instructor W. P. Woodbury, whose indignation against the proceedings (said to move the school "piano style") fired accomplices in the hotel yard.

A few days ago the mayor tried to visit the school and was it said, refused admission by Instructor Woodbury. Now the school is safely tucked away in the city hall basement, under the mayor's office, and the teacher has

four bare walls for consolation. Where 254 pupils could be accommodated, there is not enough apparatus left to teach one.

Mayor Landford formally notified the owners of the factory building on Prince place that the school would be removed from there by March 1. The school board sent a counter notification that such would not be the case; but they reckoned without counting on the mayor's resourcefulness.

At 7.30 yesterday morning the mayor's forces appeared before the school, headed by Mayor Landford, and a clerk, former Alderman Edward East.

The mayor superintended the removal of the first drayload and then went back to his routine duties. Though the city hall is only a little way from what was, up to yesterday, the school building, it kept the draymen hustling up to noon to get the school all stored.

About the middle of the morning, Instructor Woodbury appeared. He asked Clerk East what he was doing. Does told him he was acting under the mayor's orders and waved to the movers to go ahead with the job.

The furious teacher hastened to Superintendent of Schools Edgar J. Willard, and he called up Lawrence F. Willard, and he called up Lawrence F. Dodge, Chairman of the school board.

The boardman, better known as Larry, is an old school teacher, a team captain, and one of the fastest sprinters that ever ran for an American college. He is just as capable of quick action as the mayor.

He took immediate measures to take the question of whose school it is, away into the supreme court. The boardman, the former of the school board, he started gathering evidence to show that whether the school of this city shall learn to be a plane and saw or not rests with the school board, and not with the mayor.

The board held a lively meeting last night, and expressed opinions of the kind of this city quite freely.

Mayor Landford, interviewed last night, chuckled and said he was simply sitting tight on the school, and waiting for the board to make the next move. He said he had decided to stop the teaching of manual training, and that he had succeeded, as far as he could see.

The trouble between the mayor and the board had been brewing since the first of the year, but its climax was entirely unexpected.

Mayor Landford, who is serving his second term, wished to abolish manual training in connection with his policy of pruning municipal expenses wherever possible. He desired it was of little practical use. The board, however, always considered the Prince Place school one of its notable educational achievements.

## KIDNEY AND BLADDER TROUBLE CAUSES GREAT DISTRESS

It gives me great pleasure to recommend Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root to any one suffering from bladder trouble.

For four years I was troubled by hemorrhages from the bladder and was not able to get any doctor who could help me. I was in such shape that sleep at night was impossible on account of distressing symptoms. While bending over I would be stricken with such a pain that it was impossible for me to straighten up. Mr. Henry, one of our leading druggists, advised Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, although I never had any faith in patent medicines, as a last resort I purchased a dollar bottle of Swamp-Root. I noticed a decided change and after using two bottles I was completely cured. It seemed remarkable that I should be cured so quickly after being ill so long. Ever since this took place nearly two years ago, I have never been troubled and would highly advise anyone suffering from the same trouble to at least give Swamp-Root a trial and I think the results will be the same as mine.

Yours very truly,  
THOMAS A. BENNETT,  
Greensburg, Indiana.

Personally appeared before me this 14th day of February, 1913, Mr. T. A. Bennett, who subscribed the above statement and made oath, that the same is true in substance and in fact.

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## TWO MIDNIGHT FIRES

ACCIDENTS OF TENEMENT HOUSES AWAKENED BY MERRIMACK AND MOODY STREET FIRES

A fire, which originated in a closet near a hot water boiler in a tenement at 909-911 Moody street about 11.30 o'clock last night gave the fire department a needless run, for when the apparatus arrived the blaze had been extinguished by the members of the family. The fire was discovered by a little girl who was awakened by the smoke. She immediately aroused her parents, who, with pails of water succeeded in checking the blaze. The house is owned by Frank Aquino, who occupied the lower tenement. The upper tenement where the fire started was occupied by the family of Louis Bibeault.

Fire on Merrimack Street

Rats and matches are believed to have caused the fire in a brick apartment building at 750 Merrimack street at 11.15 o'clock last night. The blaze started on a shelf over the cellar stairs and one of the occupants, who smelted smoke, investigated and found a brick blaze in progress. The fire department was summoned and the fire was quickly put out. The building is owned by Omar Doziel. Frank M. Bogan carried the insurance on the building.

OVERSEER JOHN CURRAN

SURPRISED AT HIS HOME AND PRESENTED WITH TOKENS OF ESTEEM

Overseer John Curran of the Tremont Suffolk mill, and Mrs. Curran, were recently surprised last night when about 100 employees of the mill called at their home at 21 Hope street and presented Mr. Curran with a handsome watch chain and chain and gold ring, while Mrs. Curran was the recipient of a pretty dinner set. The presentation being made by James Brown of the cloth room.

Mr. Curran's departure at the mill was at 10 o'clock. Yesterday through the kindness of Agent Rawlinson, the employees were told they would not work and accordingly they all gathered at the home of their overseer. After the presentation Mr. Curran responded in a fitting manner and a pleasant evening was spent. A musical program was given and a light luncheon was served. Those responsible for the affair were Mrs. Robert Smith, Miss Anna Reynolds and Miss Ella Birlon.

NOT TAKING ANY RISKS

"We all know," says William H. Crane, the popular actor, "how suspicious human nature is. Sometimes when a person is particularly so, it is very amusing."

"I have an intimate friend who is a prominent dentist in a western city, and one day when I was in his office a woman came in to have several teeth extracted."

"I suppose I ought to take something to deaden the pain," she said, hesitatingly, "but I'm afraid of gas."

"My friend immediately reassured her and at the last said: 'You will be only unconscious for two or three minutes at the longest.'"

"The woman took her peekethook out and began to count her money. 'Never mind that now,' said the dentist. 'You do not have to pay until I've finished.'"

"I wasn't going to pay," explained the woman. "I was going to count my money."—Lippincott's Magazine.

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"Rockland, Mass."

"Let me thank you for your kindness, but let me more than thank the 'Cascade' for what it has done for me. Would say that the 'Cascade' is a wonder, also that it has been of untold benefit to me, with the diet you advised me to use. I have not kept account of my weight lately, but I know I am gaining in weight since I have used the 'Cascade' and the stomach trouble has entirely disappeared now. Wishing you all success and thanking you for all your kindness, Yours truly,  
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Mrs. Sarah J. Oliver of Stratford, Conn., writes, under date of Dec. 19, 1913:

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But when you are entirely rid of the waste (and this Internal Bath washes it away most thoroughly), you will be astounded at the change next day—you will feel bright, clear of mind, ambitious and without a tinge of "that tired feeling"—that's the reason its users are most enthusiastic in recommending it. They know how they feel afterward.

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## CHILDREN OR COTTON?

HOW THE LITTLE ONES WORK IN THE SOUTHERN COTTON FIELDS FROM SUNRISE TILL SUNDOWN

"Cotton is a curse to Texas children," remarked the superintendent of one of the Texas schools to Lewis W. Hine, special investigator of the national child labor committee, and why is it a curse? This question is the theme of an article by Mr. Hine, "Children or Cotton," in the "Survey" of February 15.

"Cotton, out with me at sundown," says Mr. Hine, "and watch the children trooping into the fields, some of them kiddies four or five years old, to begin the pick-pick-pick, drop into the bag, step forward, pick-pick, drop into the bag, step forward, six days in the week, five months in the year, under a relentless sun. The sight of their monotonous repetition with fire you out long before they stop. Their working day follows the sun, and not until sundown will they leave the fields. Ruby, aged seven, stopped working long enough to say, as I stood by her, 'I works from sun-up to sun-down, and picks thirty-five pounds a day.' I imagine the number of leathery balls that must go into the bag hanging about her neck to tip the scale at thirty-five pounds!"

"The result of a few years of this incessant grind, long hours, physical strain, lack of proper food, care, and lack of mental stimulus?—What can it be but physical degeneration and mental atrophy? We have long asailed (and justly) the cotton industry as the Herod of the mills. The sunshiner in the cotton fields has blind eyes to the fact that the cotton picker suffers quite as much as the mill hand from the monotony, overwork, and hopelessness of his life. It is high time for us to face the truth and add to our indictment of king cotton a new charge—the Herod of the fields."

"One of the most pitiful things about the situation is the indifferent acceptance of conditions by people generally. Hear the very little serious comments from school teachers. Ruby's father, who said, 'They give five months' schooling' and it ain't 'hum' stood out among all the parents I interviewed as a rare exception. It is quite possible that the Texas farmers are not so indifferent to the exploitation of their children as appears, for they are literally up against it. They are transient renters, weighed down by debt, illiterate, and dependent upon the crop."

"But I place first and foremost in any program of change the restriction of child labor. Children must be left free to go to school. At a recent conference of the Texas state board of charities and corrections all were agreed that compulsory education is the greatest need of Texas today. Patriotism demands that we save the children, the most begin at once the foundation for the farmer of the future, a longer period of childhood today, with better preparation for work and better training for life."

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## A MINIATURE COLONY

A Feature at Birley House School, an Open-Air School in England—Described in U. S. Bulletin

Making the school grounds a miniature colony, with the pupils busily engaged in all kinds of productive occupations, is the device of the Birley House school, an open-air school in England, as described in a bulletin just issued by the United States Bureau of Education.

Various minerals—coal, iron ore, copper ore, lead ore, and gold quartz—are buried in different parts of the school grounds, and the children go out "prospecting" for them. The finders become captains of industry. To work the mines the captains of industry engage laborers at the labor exchange, which is managed by one of the pupils. Boring is then proceeded with, shafts are sunk, winding apparatus is constructed, and the mineral is brought to the surface.

Here arises the need of coal, and a system of transportation in the form of a miniature railway is organized, furnaces are set up, factories are planned, the possible markets for the product are considered, and the importance of a merchant marine is recognized.

In close connection with the industrial side of the colonization scheme the agricultural plan is developed. A portion of the garden is cleared, a miniature farm of six fields is prepared, and the different methods of fencing are applied to these fields. The ground is plowed and crops are sown.

In rotation, wheat, potatoes, barley, oats, clover and cabbage. A thatched log hut, built and furnished to serve as a house for the farmers, and the necessary buildings—barn, stable, wagon shed, pigsty, poultry house, and dog kennel—are built around it. All the school work is done in close relation to the community activities. Practice in woodwork and carpentry is obtained by making a rabbit warren, an aviary, insect cages, garden frames, cases for weather instruments, etc. The use of "pudding" clay and the mixing of concrete and cement are illustrated by constructing a pond, drain pipes, and other mason work. There is practical arithmetic in the measurement of lengths and distances, in estimating costs and quantities, in finding heights by means of simple instruments, in making records of rainfall, barometer, thermometer, sunshine, etc., and in other calculations required in garden and manual work.

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# TRIBAL WAR THREATENED TO HELP UNEMPLOYED

## Three Renegade Soldiers, Who Shot Down Two Germans Were Killed in Desperate Battle

PAGO PAGO, American Samoa, Feb. 25 (via San Francisco, Feb. 27).—Three renegade soldiers of German Samoa were killed and another badly wounded in an all-day fight waged with a posse sent to arrest them, according to steamer advices just received from Apia. One white man of the attacking party was fatally wounded.

The four Samoans had been sentenced to three years imprisonment for aiding a Chinese gambling house and stalling the game stakes. They broke out of a guard, entered the

government armory and made off with rifles and ammunition.

The posse sent after them learned they had passed in their flight in the bush and shot down two Germans on a launch. Three hundred natives joined the white men in the pursuit and the renegades finally were brought to bay behind a stone wall.

The four soldiers were from the Tuamasaia province and the natives who aided the whites were from the village of Cato. As a result of the fight the natives of Tuamasaia have sworn to avenge the three soldiers who were killed and a tribal war is threatened.

## THINK THIRD MAN NEEDED HURLS DIAMONDS AWAY

### RAILROAD EMPLOYEES HEARD IN NASHUA ON CONTINUATION OF THE FULL TRAIN CREW CASE

NASHUA, N. H., Feb. 27.—That the local yard work cannot be done so safely or so fast with two brakemen to a train as with three was the trend of the testimony of railroad employees at a hearing on the full crew case here last night. Commissioners Worthen and Benton opened a continuation of the case which has been pending for some months. It was entered by J. L. Abbott of this city, chairman of the grievance committee of the men's organizations here.

Asst. General Solicitor Charles Pierce of Boston represented the Boston & Maine. At the opening it was announced that the railroad had accepted two recommendations of the commission on prior evidence. The third, that having to do with a crew of a conductor and two men for night work, would also be accepted if modified to conform with a recommendation made in connection with the other two questions.

Yard Master John Wilcox, called by Attorney Pierce, testified that three brakemen were not necessary for the safe operation, but the work could be done faster with the third man. To Mr. Abbott he said that higher officials of the road were continually writing him to expedite the business.

Night Yard Master James Pagan testified that it was not possible to do the work with the greatest safety and safety with two brakemen. The other witnesses were Conductors J. E. Burdham and Harry Page and Brakemen John Enright and Nelson Gordon. They generally agreed that the safety of the public and crews required a third man.

The hearing will be finished at Concord.

### TANGO GIRL, VEXED AT COMPANY, BOY'S REFUSAL TO WED QUICKLY MAKES TARGET OF LIGHTS

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Miss Beatrice Allen, who has been dancing the tango, tango with her dancing partner, Carlos Sebastian, at a restaurant here for the last six weeks, is the center of police attention because of a diamond pin valued at \$700.

In her suit at the Cook County Jail Miss Allen stated that while seated at a table at the restaurant several hours after midnight with a Mr. Hoagland, she carelessly threw a diamond ring, brooch, a bracelet and the diamond pin at the incandescent light, and that it was recovered except the diamond pin.

"Mr. Hoagland bought them all for me," said the dancer. "He is the president of the vice president of a banking powder company, and we were engaged," she said.

J. A. Hoagland, who is at the Congress hotel, said he was not the man.

"We had a glass of champagne," admitted Miss Allen. "We had a quarrel over the date of our marriage. He wanted to put it off indefinitely, and I wanted to go out and wed a minister right away. When he refused, I began throwing all my diamonds at the lights."

## KIDNAPS EX-GOVERNOR

### PORTSMOUTH POLICE SEEK LEVI WOODBURY—MISSED FROM CITY HALL AND MAYOR IS ANGRY

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Feb. 27.—Levi Woodbury, former governor of New Hampshire and a statesman of note in the state, has been kidnapped. The local police have been turned loose on the trail and Mayor Harry B. Yeaton has expressed himself as angry in the extreme.

Every nook and corner of the city is being watched. Citizens are forming posses to search for Woodbury and city search.

The bust—O, yes, it was only a bust of Woodbury—has stood for many years in the city hall. On a shelf inside the main entrance it has reposed in solitude for a quarter of a century. Now it has disappeared.

Its absence was first noted yesterday by Clerk Frank Simms of the water department. As he entered the building he gazed upward toward the spot where the bust had stood. The place was vacant. Rubbing his eyes he looked again. Then he rushed to the mayor's office. Breathlessly, he told his honor and the search began. Not a clue has yet been discovered.

## CONG. ASHER MAY RUN

### FOR RENOVATION OF WEBB AND HALE OF PORTLAND WITHDRAW FROM FIGHT

PORTLAND, Me., Feb. 27.—Congressman Asher Hinds will be a candidate for re-election, if on next Tuesday when the republican committee in York county meets, Richard Webb and Col. Frederick Hale of this city are not candidates. A letter to that effect was received today by State Senator Cole of York county. Col. Hale arrived in Washington today after several weeks abroad.

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## SOLD FOR \$8000

Puritan Mills Plant at  
Fall River Disposed of  
at Auction Today

FALL RIVER, Feb. 27.—The Puritan mills plant, which has been in litigation in various courts for some time, was sold at public auction today to John Henshaw, administrator of the estate of the late Stephen Jencks. The price was \$8000.

## CURLEY APPOINTS DILLON

JOHMAN OF PARK DEPT. MADE  
CHAIRMAN OF THE DEPARTMENT  
—SALARY \$5000

BOSTON, Feb. 27.—John A. Dillon, a foreman in the park department, was appointed chairman of the park and recreation department, by Mayor Curley today in place of D. Henry Sullivan, who was removed ten days ago. In making the appointment, Mayor Curley reduced the salary of the position from \$7000 to \$5000.

## TWO ELOPING COUPLES

AMONG 30 PERSONS WHOSE AP-  
PEALS FOR AMERICAN CITIZEN-  
SHIP HAD BEEN REJECTED

BOSTON, Feb. 27.—Three outgoing European steamers today carried 30 persons whose appeals for American citizenship had been rejected by the immigration officials. Among them were two eloping pairs. The greater number was bound for Mediterranean ports.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.



SUCH A DIFFERENCE.  
The plumber and the poet  
Are men of different ways;  
One daily lays his pipes,  
And the other pipes his lays.



THAT BEAUTIFUL LAND.  
She said she'd need her real estate  
Where'er she gave her hand,  
Thereat the Duke's content was great.  
He'd viewed the promised land.

## A LITTLE NONSENSE



ADVANTAGE OF WINTER.  
To winter and its chilling blast  
A line of praise devote;  
Much longer will your old suit last  
Beneath your new top coat.



ART CONNOISSEUR.  
No splendid picture bids him pause  
Outdoors, where all the air is pure.  
He gives the scene no heed because  
It hasn't any signature.



THE USUAL WAY.  
We put off till some better time  
Dull duties of the present;  
But any time is good enough  
For folks that are pleasant.



LUCKY BIRDMAN.  
When the birdman fears a lecture  
And his wife begins to rile,  
He leaves nothing to conjecture,  
But flies up at least a mile.

## EX-PRES. MELLEN ON TRIAL

Charge of Manslaughter Against  
Former Head of New Haven  
Came Up at Bridgeport

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 27.—The charge of manslaughter brought against Charles S. Mellen, former president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford R. R. Co., as the result of the collision of express trains at Westport in October, 1912, in which several persons were killed, came up before Judge Joseph P. Tuttle in the criminal side of the superior court today on the plea of jurisdiction entered by counsel for Mr. Mellen. As questions of law only were under consideration at this time, Mr. Mellen was not in court. His counsel were Homer S. Cummings of Stamford, L. J. Nickerson of North Cornwall and W. B. Chamberlain of Bridgeport.

The plea of jurisdiction was filed last May and raised the question that Mr. Mellen acted on behalf of the railroad company, which would not support a bill of indictment which would show probable cause. The accompanying motion was to quash the indictment. Originally five other officers of the railroad company were arrested on bench warrants, but notices were entered by State's Attorney Stiles Judson a few days ago and the state elected to try and fix the responsibility for the Westport wreck on the then president of the company, Mr. Mellen.

WANTS WARRANT QUASHED  
BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Feb. 27.—In behalf of Charles S. Mellen, former president of the New Haven road, an argument was made by his counsel in superior court to quash the bench warrant sworn out by State's Attorney Stiles Judson charging him with responsibility for the death of one Jane Doe in the collision of two Springfield express trains at Westport on Oct. 30, 1912. The specific charge was that of manslaughter.

The motion to quash was based on a plea as to the jurisdiction of the court. Homer Cummings, Mr. Mellen's counsel, claimed that the issuance of the bench warrant in question was not supported by affidavit or affirmation sworn to by an officer of justice and that the proceeding was an arbitrary one. He characterized the bench warrant as a "long arm" which reaches out to get persons suspected of crime. He praised the bench warrant as a useful adjunct of the court but declared it could not break down any safeguard of individual liberty.

Mr. Cummings said that the question might be raised that if the court granted the motion it might have far-reaching effects in that it might let persons accused of crime go free and might cause upset administration of justice itself.

"Not so," said Mr. Cummings, "we do not believe this, nor do we believe that your honor will so believe that is our contention. The motion asserts that we hold that the warrant which names Mr. Mellen the defendant was not supported by an oath or affirmation and is void."

The court room was thronged while Mr. Cummings made his argument. The jury from decisions on constitutional questions.

BROOKLINE FIRM IN HUB  
"BOOST BOSTON" MOVEMENT  
PEALS TO HOLTZER-CABOT CO.  
ACCORDING TO THE MAYOR

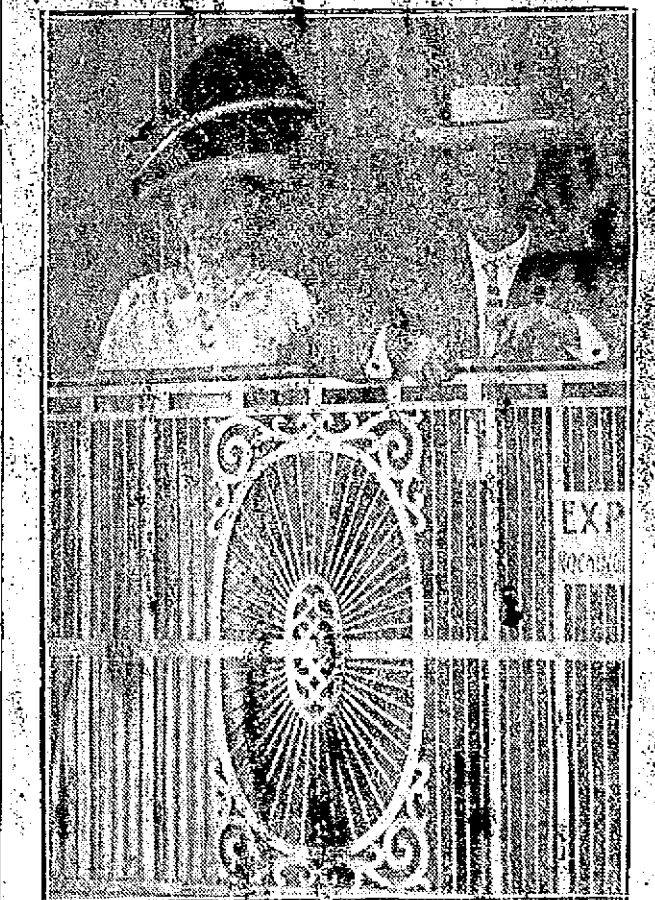
BOSTON, Feb. 27.—Another new manufacturing concern will locate in Boston as the result of the "Boost Boston" movement, according to Mayor Curley. This is the Holtzer-Cabot Co., manufacturers of electrical supplies. The company will build in Jamaica Plain in the near future. This concern, the mayor said, recently lost its building in Brookline as the result of fire.

The officials originally intended to locate in Newton, but the mayor assured them that the "Boost Boston" committee would assist them and they decided to locate in Jamaica Plain instead.

Mayor Curley stated yesterday that he will personally appear before the street commissioners and urge the granting of a petition for the right to lay a spur track along West First street, South Boston. The mayor asserted that he had been assured that if this right is granted, the Standard Sanitary Manufacturing company of Pitts- burg will enlarge its Boston plant on West First street and will thus give employment to hundreds more people.

Today the "Boost Boston" committee will hold its organization meeting and will decide upon the course it will pursue relative to the expenditure of the "Boost Boston" fund.

## PROBE DEATH OF LAZELLE



MRS. NETTIE M. SAUNDERS AND THE LATE FRANK LAZELLE

Mrs. Nettie M. Saunders Wants  
to Have Coffin of Frank Lazelle  
Opened to Ascertain Cause of  
His Death

Mrs. Nettie M. Saunders of 65 Gates street, this city, who was the fiancée of the late Frank Lazelle, a former foreman in the sewer department, who died at the McLean hospital in Waverly, and whose funeral took place yesterday afternoon in Lawrence, fears that deceased met with a violent death at the hands of some of the attendants at the hospital, through her lawyer, Hon. James E. O'Donnell, she is trying to secure the power of attorney to open the coffin or to have the cause of death investigated.

According to the death certificate and the hospital authorities, Lazelle died of scarlet fever, but Mrs. Saunders believes he was the victim of violence. To a Sun reporter today Mrs. Saunders said her fears are substantiated by the fact that Lazelle wanted to get away from the institution and that during a fit of violence he is said to have struck one of the attendants with a chair.

Lazelle lived with his mother at 400 Walker street, this city. In the early winter he suffered a nervous breakdown and for a time he was attended by Mrs. Saunders, but later it was de-

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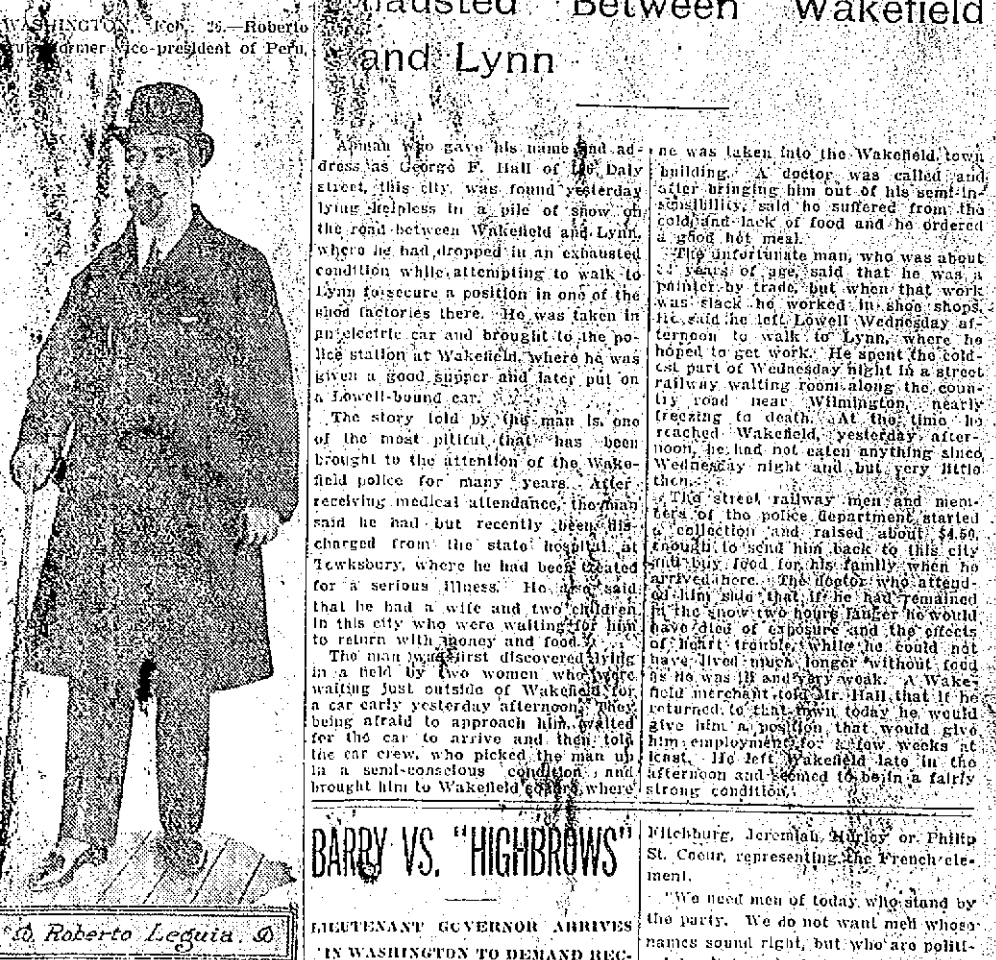
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<p>MEN'S and WOMEN'S <b>English Toe Shoes</b> Finest style Hartford, Conn. Sale Price <b>2.57</b></p>	<p>MEN'S <b>Heavy Sole Storm Shoes</b> Tan and black Worth \$4.00 Sale Price <b>2.77</b></p>	<p>MEN'S <b>R.H. Long</b> \$3.50 Value Sale Price <b>2.17</b></p>
<p>MEN'S and WOMEN'S <b>WALDORF SHOES</b> Sewer Welts \$3.00 Value Sale Price <b>1.97</b></p>	<p><b>Special Bargains</b> WOMEN'S \$2.50 SHOES <b>98c</b> MEN'S \$2.50 SHOES <b>\$1.47</b> BOYS' and MISSES' SHOES \$2.00 and \$2.50 Values <b>\$1.27 and \$1.47</b></p>	<p>MEN'S 12 in. TOP <b>Sporting Shoes</b> \$6.00 Value <b>3.47</b></p>

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## ROBERTO LEGUIA MAN HELPLESS IN SNOW

New President of Peru  
Sees Wilson and Sec-  
retary Bryan



Roberto Leguia

George F. Hall of Lowell Fell Ex-  
hausted Between Wakefield  
and Lynn

Again who gave his name and address as George F. Hall of the Daily street, this city, was found yesterday lying helpless in a pile of snow on the road between Wakefield and Lynn, where he had dropped in an exhausted condition while attempting to walk to Lynn for a position in one of the shoe factories there. He was taken in an electric car and brought to the police station at Wakefield, where he was given a good supper and later put on a Lowell-bound car.

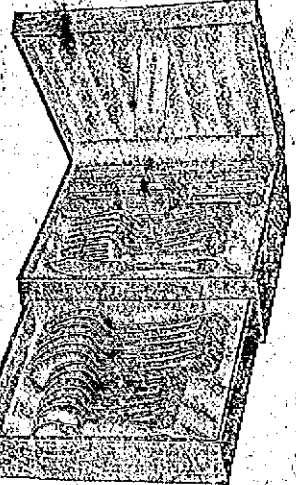
The story told by the man is one of the most pitiful that has been brought to the attention of the Wakefield police for many years. After receiving medical attendance, the man said he had but recently been discharged from the state hospital at Tewksbury, where he had been treated for a serious illness. He also said that he had a wife and two children in this city who were waiting for him to return with money and food.

The man was first discovered lying in a field by two women who were waiting just outside of Wakefield for a car early yesterday afternoon. They being afraid to approach him, they called for the car to arrive and they told for the car crew, who picked the man up in a semi-conscious condition and brought him to Wakefield where he was taken into the Wakefield town building. A doctor was called and after bringing him out of his semi-consciousness, said he suffered from the cold and lack of food and he ordered a good hot meal.

The unfortunate man, who was about 35 years of age, said that he was a painter by trade, but when that work was slack he worked in shoe shops. He said he left Lowell Wednesday afternoon to walk for Lynn, where he hoped to get work. He spent the cold part of Wednesday night in a street railway waiting room along the country road near Wilmington, nearly freezing to death. At the time he reached Wakefield yesterday afternoon, he had not eaten anything since Wednesday night and, but very little sleep.

The street railway men and members of the police department started a collection and raised about \$50, enough to send him back to this city to buy food for his family when he arrived there. The doctor who attended him said that if he had remained at the shoe factory where he would have died of exposure and the effects of heart trouble. While he could not have lived much longer without food, he was ill and very weak. A Wakefield merchant told Mr. Hall that if he returned to that town today he would give him a position that would give him employment for a few weeks at the afternoon and evening to begin a fairly strong condition.

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**Big Bargain**  
(Note the Little Ad.)  
Fine Oak Chest filled with  
Genuine Rogers' Silverware 26  
pieces—like out—sold as high  
as \$12—Our bargain  
price only \$5.95  
Small advertisements but big  
bargains to our customers.  
**George H. Wood**  
135 CENTRAL ST.



## BARRY VS. "HIGHBROWS"

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR ARRIVES  
IN WASHINGTON TO DEMAND REC-  
OGNITION FOR "REAL WORKERS"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Lieut. Gov. Edward F. Barry arrived in Washington late yesterday afternoon prepared to paint the town red. He has some plain things to say to high democratic politicians about patronage in Massachusetts and the need of cutting out the "high brows."

"I am down here," said the lieutenant-governor, "to protest against the further appointment of men who are not identified with the rank and file of democracy. I think for such positions as immigration commissioner at Boston and a salaried position at the State House, a man of the type of O'Connell or

## METEORITE HITS VILLAGE

WARSAW, Russia, Feb. 27.—A number of houses were destroyed yesterday by a big meteorite, which descended in the village of Jendkovitz, in the Polish province of Kieles. The meteorite emitted sulphurous fumes.



# CATCHER WILSON JUMPS FROM GIANTS TO FEDS AFTER RUB WITH MCGRAW



WILSON

Catcher Wilson of the New York Giants is reported to have jumped to the Federal League. According to Chief Meyers, who recently reported to the spring training grounds at Marlton, N.J., Wilson accepted an offer to play with the "outhaws" because he was not

## SOME FUR BEARERS MURDER TRIAL

FOUND IN SOUTH AMERICA—SILVER FOX, CHINCHILLA AND VICUNA

Next to the pelt of the silver fox or Labrador and ermine, the snowy fur whose costliness has made it the badge of royalty and riches, the chinchilla of South America carries on its back about the most expensive material used in fashionable feminine attire.

High up on the eastern slopes of the Andes in sections of Peru, Bolivia and Chile, the chinchilla has its habitat, living at an elevation of from 8000 to 12,000 feet above the level of the sea, its chilly home is responsible for its thick warm coat and also largely for the exorbitant price it brings. It is hard to get and not plentiful—therefore it is wanted.

"It is a hopping rodent mammal," writes W. A. Reith in the Monthly Bulletin of the Pan American Union— "somewhat resembling our common squirrel, and when standing upon its hind legs as it does when eating, the similarity is even more noticeable. Ordinarily the body of the animal is about ten inches in length, exclusive of the tail; it is covered with a gray fur, soft and silky, which on the sides is about an inch long. The animals burrow in the ground and live together in villages like our prairie dogs. The natives of the Andean regions hunt them with trained dogs or with traps. What is a grison? This South American cousin to our weasel, and just about as cunning, and he easily slips into the rocky crevices where the chinchilla seeks to hide and capture it.

Since the fur of the chinchilla was first introduced into Europe during the earlier part of the 19th century, the price of the skins has soared until a lady's muff and collar of only medium size made of this material commands a price of \$500 or more.

Of the larger fur-bearing animals the vicuña, one of the three representatives of the camel family to be found in South America, and which looks something like a long-necked sheep, is probably the most valuable. It is found in the highlands of Peru, Bolivia, and Chile, and has a soft furry coat of golden brown shading into darker hues which is highly prized by travelers. Almost every tourist touching the west coast of South America brings home one of these beautiful rugs as a souvenir.

## Mrs. Cynthia Buffum May Know Her Fate Before Tonight

LITTLE VALLEY, N. Y., Feb. 27.—Mrs. Cynthia Buffum, on trial for the murder of her husband, may know her fate before tonight. Her attorney, Patrick S. Collins, began his summing up when court opened today. He will be followed by Special Prosecutor Cole, who stated today that he will not exceed two hours in presenting the state's case of the case. Justice Brown's charge is expected to be brief and the case will reach the jury late this afternoon.

Attorney Collins in his summing up held that the confession that was offered as evidence was wrong from a woman hooded by private detectives and made at a time when her mind was disorganized by drink. He argued that no actual or circumstantial proof that the woman had planned the death of her husband and had administered poison had been submitted while William Buffum had repeatedly over a term of years abused his wife and frequently threatened to kill himself and his whole family.

## NOT FACING CRISIS CONNECTICUT MAN SAYS HIS STATE HAS NO PROBLEM OF UNEMPLOYMENT

NEW HAVEN, Feb. 27.—The country is not facing an unusual crisis in its numbers of unemployed. This was the consensus of opinion expressed at the national conference on unemployment which began a two-day session in New York today.

"There are no problems of unemployment in my state," said W. C. Cheney, delegate from Connecticut. "In fact it's the other way around. Not long ago manufacturers were actually unable to procure the labor that they needed."

William P. Bartley, superintendent of the Rhode Island state employment office, spoke of the relation of employment to the immigration question.

"A great proportion of our unemployed," he said, "are immigrants who have no idea of where or how to look for work. Whether or not the employment bureau should in all cases be run under government management, they should at least be at all ports of entry, keeping in touch with conditions of supply and demand through the country, and directing the foreigners to cities where labor is most needed."

# TODAY'S STOCK MARKET COST OF LIVING

NEW YORK MARKET			
NEW YORK	High	Low	Close
Albany, Copper	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
Am Beet Sugar	23 1/2	23 1/2	23
Am Can	30	29 1/2	30
Am Can pf	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Am Car & F.	59 1/2	59 1/2	60 1/2
Am Col Oil	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Am Locomo	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
Am Smelt & R.	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Am Smelt & R pf	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
Am Sugar Rfr	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2
Anaconda	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Atchafalaya	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
Bell & Co	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Br Ry Tran	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Canadian Pa	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Cent Leather	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Ches & Ohio	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Col & W	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Consol Gas	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Dix Secur Co	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Erle	20	20 1/2	20
Erle 1st pf	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Gen Elec	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Gen North pf	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Gen North pf	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Illinois C	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2
Int Met Com	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Int Met pf	60	60	60
Int Paper pf	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Kan City So	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Kan & Tex	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Lehigh Valley	130 1/2	130 1/2	130 1/2
Louis & Nash	138 1/2	138 1/2	138 1/2
Louis Cent	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Missouri Pa	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
N Y Central	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
North Pac	111 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
Pennsylvania	111 1/2	111 1/2	111 1/2
People's Gas	121 1/2	121 1/2	121 1/2
Prosser Steel	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Putnam Co	155 1/2	155 1/2	155 1/2
Ry St Sp Co	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Reading	153 1/2	153 1/2	153 1/2
Rep Iron & S.	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Rock Is	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2
Rock Is pf	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
St L & S.W.	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
St Paul	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
Southern Ry	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
South Pac	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2
Tenn Copper	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Texas Pac	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Tulsa Ave	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Union Pac	150 1/2	150 1/2	150 1/2
U S Rub	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
U S Steel	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
U S Steel pf	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
U S Steel pf	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
Utah Copper	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Wabash R R	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
W R R pf	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2
Westinghouse	71	70 1/2	71
Wm W Western Un	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2

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Passing of the financial strain at Paris and suspension of liquidation from Amsterdam gave the home market a good tone during the morning. Prices moved narrowly except for a time when the market was stimulated by a Wall Street news agency dispatch that the Mexican government had requested this country to assist in restoration of peace caused partly by trouble on the border. The report was with-out foundation. Bears singled out various stocks for concentrated selling but the general market held up well. American Telephone was offered freely and profitably depressed some of the specialties which were strong earlier. Official denial of the reports of new financing by Northern Pacific relieved the pressure on that stock, which rallied sharply.

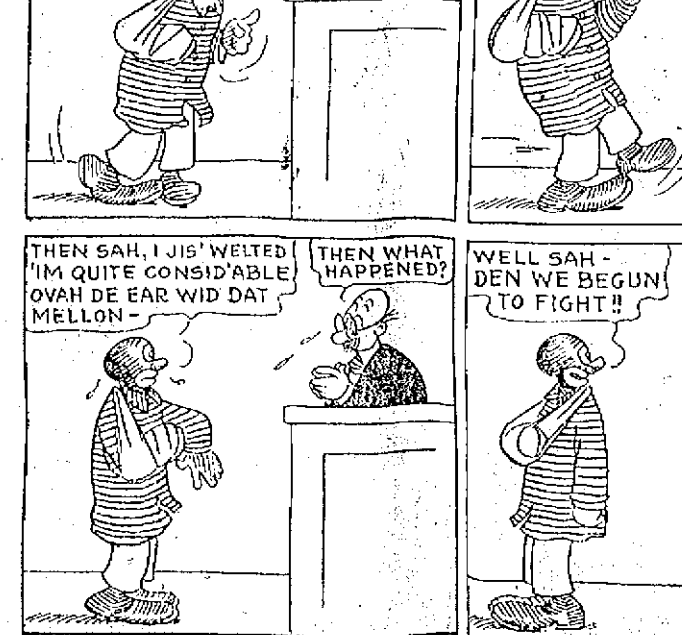
The market closed strong. Trading ventures on the long side were encouraged by new points of strength among investment issues and specialties. All of the important stocks showed gains of a point or more. United States Express soared 12 points.

## STEAMER WAS DISABLED

WINGAN WAS TOWED INTO HOSTON TODAY BY THE STEAMER MORWENNA

HOSTON, Feb. 27.—The disabled steamer Wigan, which was picked up yesterday by the steamer Morwenna was towed in today in fairly good condition. She had been adrift in an ice field off New Foundland for several days. The Morwenna after a 200 mile drift close to the northern edge of the gulf stream picked her up. The salvage will amount to several thousand dollars.

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## BOSTON MARKET

RAILROADS			
Boston & Albany	High	Low	Close
Boston & Albany	136 1/2	136 1/2	136 1/2
Boston & Maine	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
N Y & N H	68 1/2	68 1/2	67 1/2

MINING			
Algonquin	High	Low	Close
Algonquin	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Alouez	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Arctian	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Arizona Com	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Cal & Arizona	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Cal & Hecla	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Centennial	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Chino	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Copper Range	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
De Butte	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Franklin	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Granby	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Greene-Canaan	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Hancock	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Indiana	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Kerr Lake	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Lake Superior	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Mass	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Molokai	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Nevada	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Nipissing	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
North Butte	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Old Colony	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Old Dominion	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Pack Consolidated	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Superior	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Superior & Boston	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Tamarack	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Utin Cons	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Winona	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Wolverine	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2

TELEPHONE			
Am Tel & Tel	High	Low	Close
Am Tel & Tel	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2

MISCELLANEOUS			
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BONDS			
Am Tel & Tel	High	Low	Close
Am Tel & Tel	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2

COTTON FUTURES			
March	Open	Close	
March	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
May	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
July	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
October	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
December	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2

## SEVEN KILLED

Shaw Fight Between Troops and Prisoners Attempting to Escape

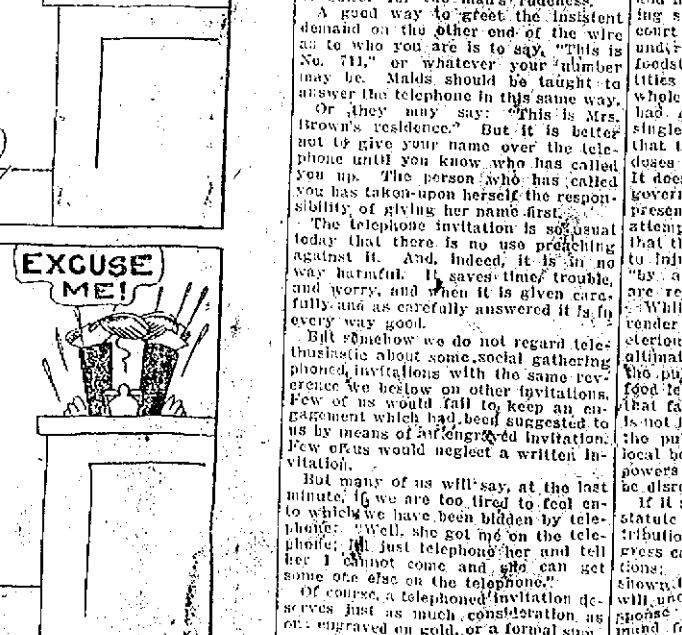
QUILA, VERACRUZ, Mexico, Feb. 27.—Seven persons were killed and 13 wounded in a sharp fight today between government troops and prisoners attempting to escape from the penitentiary here.

## INCREASE OF \$140,741

IN ANNUAL ALLOWANCE STATE HOSPITALS FAVORED

BOSTON, Feb. 27.—An increase of \$140,741 in the annual allowance for eight state hospitals and asylums was favored today by the committee on ways and means. The committee reported "ought to pass" on the appropriation for the institutions at Worcester, Medford, Framingham, Norwalk, Foxboro, Westboro and Weymouth amounting to \$1,562,197.

## EXCUSE ME



## MEXICAN SITUATION

require it. Practically all of Villa's army is scattered south along the railroad to within a few miles of Torreon and its positions have been unchanged for weeks.

Only feeble indications of Villa's intention to move at the head of his troops have appeared. Meantime reports have been that the federal army has been strengthening its defenses and fortifying the railroads southward. Belief has been growing that the federal army under Gen. Refugio Vallarta would assume the offensive and send troops north to check the rebels.

Impartial military observers agree today that the rebels have lost ground by their delay. Waited upon by representatives of foreign governments surrounded by dual pump of soldier and civilians, Villa has been wielding the powers of a dictator, and it has been said his delay in moving southward was prompted by desire to extend his power as head of the government.

His recent statement to the effect that he would hold this state capital after driving off his enemies was the height of his ambition.

Villa has surrounded himself by men who accept his word as law. It has been openly stated that for Mexicans to express opinions adverse to Villa's warlike policy would be to obey orders should he order a military execution. A Mexican newspaper has put out a note because he was late with a train order by Villa.

## HUERTA GOVERNMENT WANTS U. S. TO CONSIDER RECENT RAISING OF EMBARGO ON ARMS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—After long delay in the diplomatic exchanges between the United States and the Huerta government, the latter has been asked to consider the recent raising of the embargo on arms to Mexico.

The feature of the Mexican situation said to have been issued at Mexico City last night is the allegation that a state of anarchy now exists in so much of Mexico as is occupied by the rebel forces and it is also charged that the immediate effect of arms being permitted the exportation of arms has been to place the rebels in a favorable situation for permitting outrages while preventing the Huerta government from repressing them as quickly and as effectively as it desires.

On the other hand, it is set out that wherever the Huerta government is in power, full protection has been given to nationals and foreigners.

It is not expected that the state department will return any formal answer to this last communication.

Charge against the Mexican government was notified yesterday that the Huerta government had delivered such a communication to American representatives and diplomatic representatives of other powers in Mexico City. He did not receive a copy of it.

## FRIENDS OF AMERICAN WHO WAS HANGED IN MEXICO AROUSED

LAREDO, Texas, Feb. 27.—Friends of Clemente Vergara, the American who was hanged recently by Mexican federalists, were aroused today by reports made by American Consul Garrett and Vergara's brother-in-law, S. J. Hill, who yesterday visited the scene of the execution near Laredo, Mexico.

Vergara's friends assert they will press for the fixing of responsibility for the hanging and for punishment of the American executioners.



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**ADLAIDE, Australia, Feb. 27.**—Dr. Douglas Mawson, the Australasian explorer, returned here yesterday from the Antarctic on board the "Aurora." He said his expedition had been very nearly successful.

The original expedition under Dr. Douglas Mawson left Hobart, Tasmania, on Dec. 2, 1911, its principal object being the exploration and survey of the Antarctic coast line.

**TEHRAN, Persia, Feb. 27.**—Serious fighting between the gendarmes and a body of Vasilidivan riflemen occurred yesterday at Kazerun in the province of Fars, 55 miles west of Shiraz. The commander of the Persian forces, Major Ohlsson, a Swede, was killed.

The battle continued today. The Persian drove the gendarmes westward

Swiss, met with death by accident.

When the Aurora went to fetch the boat, the crew of the Antarctic party, last year, the vessel was ordered to leave before taking on board Dr. Mowat and five of his companions. It is the party which has now returned to the ship, and is on the way to the dangerous sledge journey, which Dr. Mowat and Dr. Herz lost their lives in. He was alone for 30 days and only re-

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the high winds at the base camp. He said they averaged 50 m.p.h. and that they were blowing in one hour and 20 minutes at more than 210 miles an hour rate.

Besides a large collection of mineral specimens, largely of local origin, the expedition secured a magnificent collection of biological plants and animals.

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animals were secured from death."

Dr. Matson said that "one of the best lessons learned by the expedition was the value of wisdom and integrity. No similar exploration work would be should ever be undertaken without it."

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SAULT ON WIFE—WOMAN IN SE-  
RIES OF CONVICTIONS

**GLOUCESTER**, Feb. 27, (Jan. 27) — About 20 years old, is held at the police station on a charge of abusing wife with a "ripping knife," used dressing fish, and Mrs. Ehler is at Gloucester hospital in such a condition that she cannot be interviewed.

The assault took place at 1.30 yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George (31) Cammerford, 205 West

er was clad only in her night robe the time and was in bed. When he'd a sharp succession of blows on her with a rusty knife, which had a point, though that may have been taken off in the attack. At the home it was said that she had her eyes in the lower throat, a circumstance most serious, being a break in the

ter and his wife boarded at Mrs. Dry's on Duncan street. Both are of the same age.

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